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The Mansfield Millions.

SEQUEL TO A STRANGE WILL. HEIRS WANTED FOR £1,500,000. WAS MR. MANSFIELD A COUNTY WATERFORD MAN.

For some weeks past the western half of the County Waterford has been debating the fortune left over 100 years ago by a ship-owner in Hamburg named Eric Mansfield. He died in 1825, leaving £15,000, and his wife died in 1827. By the will made the £15,000 was invested in England, and it was not to be touched for 100 years when it was to be divided amongst the heirs entitled thereto. The 100 years having now expired, it is stated the £15,000 invested in 1825 has by careful administration magnified until it has reached the huge figure of £1,500,000. It is claimants for that sum are now being sought. According to the statement which appeared in the Press recently from the Woolf Newsagency of Berlin, this Mr. Mansfield was a native of Brunswick in Germany, but from no information we have received there is very strong reason to suspect that the Eric Mansfield mentioned first saw the light of day in the County Waterford, and possibly in the regions of Glenwilliam or Grange. For hundreds of years the Mansfields have been associated with this part of the County Waterford and along the Blackwater, and from that part of the country a member of the family went to sea over 150 years ago ostensibly settling down in Germany, where at Hamburg he carried on business as a ship-owner. That members of the Mansfield family went away to seek their fortunes on the Continent some 150 years ago is verified from the lips of some old inhabitants in the Grange district now nearing their century, and when the claims in this instance are carefully considered and the records fully examined, we shall be surprised if the Eric Mansfield whose heirs are now sought spring from Brunswick or the fertile plains of West Waterford. Anyhow the huge sum of £1,500,000 awaits the claimants in the case. We understand that Mr. T. C. Williams, B.A., LL.B., solicitor, Dungarvan (J. P. Williams and Son) solicitors, is representing the Mansfield claimants in this area, and in his careful hands their interests will be watched. Dr. Ludwig Ruge, a Berlin lawyer, is charged with the execution of the will in question.

Heretofore we give the story of the will as issued by the Woolf Newsagency, Berlin—"A story of a big inheritance in England said to amount to something like £1,500,000 falling to the descendants of a Hamburg ship-owner who died in 1825 was published in Berlin recently. Over 100 years ago a Franklin Voolsted married a Brunswicker named Eric Mansfield, who became a ship-owner in Hamburg, and who died in 1825, leaving a fortune of £15,000. His widow lived in Vienna, where she died in 1827, two years after her husband. She left a strange will in which it was laid down that the fortune would go to the immediate heirs, but should be intact for 100 years. The money was invested in England, where according to the accounts published it has grown with interest by careful administration into the very large sum of £1,500,000 being mentioned. The 100 years have now elapsed, and the children and grandchildren of the heirs to the inheritance become entitled to a share of the fortune. According to statements made in Berlin, 250 persons of the Brunswick Branch of the Mansfield family have already entered their claims. The execution of the will has been placed in the hands of a Berlin lawyer—Dr. Ludwig Ruge. The cautious attitude adopted by Dr. Ruge makes it impossible as yet to confirm the details published, but in reply to inquiries the lawyer admits that there is truth in the story and that he has been entrusted with the case. At present, however, he is not in a position to give any information or to confirm the figures, which may turn out to be exaggerated."

DISCOUNT PLEADINGS.

The Catholic Total Abstinence Federation of Ireland met in Dublin to consider the organised campaign of the liquor trade for the reduction of the liquor taxes. In view of the many misleading allegations and arguments advanced by the trade and accorded publicity, it was decided to appoint a deputation, to seek an interview with the Minister of Finance on the whole question of the liquor taxes. A committee was also appointed to prepare a statement of facts in regard to the alleged grievances of the trade. Meanwhile, the Executive earnestly appeal to the public and to their elected representatives to discount the pleadings of the trade in regard to unemployment, barley-growing and so forth; and to bear in mind that the publicans in their professed solicitude for "the poor man's pint" are silent about the poor man's family; that, while lamenting the closing of a few breweries and distilleries, they are silent about all the other factories closed and industries killed in the general depression of the last decade—boot factories, woollen mills, woodworking, etc.; that they are also eloquently silent about the relatively trivial total amount of employment provided by the trade in proportion to capital and turnover; that they are insulting the sober working classes by their talk about the need of cheap drink, and insulting the general intelligence of the country by their amazing insinuation that cheaper drink and widespread drinking will benefit instead of still more demoralising and impoverishing the country.

Those present were—Very Rev. Dr. Coffey, Canon Lyons, P.P.; Mr. P. J. O'Neill, Mr. J. P. Dunne, Father Angelus, O.S.F.C.; Canon O'Donoghue, P.P.; Rev. J. Flynn, S.J.; Rev. F. A. Gleeson, C.C.; Father Aloysius, O.S.F.C.; Rev. F. Gilmore, C.C.; Rev. J. Matthews, C.C.; Mr. P. Brett, Very Rev. T. W. O'Ryan, P.P.; P. O'Leary (Kilkenny) and the Rev. V. P. Steen, C.C., Hon. Secretary.

CAPPOQUIN ROWING CLUB OR SOCIAL CLUB?

Dear Mr. Editor—I am much surprised that Mr. Crowe, a gentleman of such brilliant intellect, should find it necessary in the manual sense to take off his coat. I think there is some misapplication of his great gift. I wrote my first letter in the hope that there might result this year a revival of rowing. To this end Mr. Crowe has subscribed in this letter praise of himself, and in his second praise of a few others to camouflage the first, and thereby gather about himself an admiring few that may whisper one to another, what a clever fellow he is. I would welcome something constructive towards the end I had in view instead. Mr. Crowe at once embraced the opportunity to expiate and to "Half Nelson" us, losing sight of the object aforesaid. A man extremely vain, a hunter of shadow rather than substance, Mr. Crowe loves his little squabble, and it is in this way I mean his gift is misapplied. I leave to Mr. Crowe all his feathers, hoping that he may wear them with more distinction and honour in the days to come.

DARK BLUE.

Dear Sir—"Dark Blue's" second philippic against the Cappoquin Rowing Club is enlightening on many points. His insistence on leading the Senior Four of 1910-11 and his chiding of Mr. Crowe for failing to secure a place in the boat leads us, by reasoning inductively, to conclude that "Dark Blue" himself was a member of the crew. Granted that the inference is valid, particularisation is an easy matter.

When the committee of "hardly democrats" took control, the Boat Club was heavily in debt, and the fact that not only has the debt been paid, but the financial position strengthened considerably, may have been, in some way, responsible for calling forth "Dark Blue's" criticisms. Is "Dark Blue" really interested in a revival of rowing in Cappoquin? His many comments scarcely warrant an affirmative answer. Is he one of our local aristocrats (?) who, having long looked with envious eyes on the growing prosperity of the Rowing Club are now anxious to lay their unwholy hands upon it and use it for ulterior purposes? If these "sportsmen" ever succeed in their designs, then the Cappoquin Rowing Club ceases to be either a Rowing or a Social Club. It is a pleasure, however, to know that the present members are too wary to be lured into traps which have ensnared others. Let us leave these revilers with the assurance that when they give up any schemes they may have of exploiting the Boat Club they will save themselves a lot of unnecessary worry.

Finally, let me appeal for the most practical and potent answer to our critics. We have still men in the town who, with proper guidance and a little encouragement, can make Cappoquin again famous in Irish rowing circles. The coming season includes, in addition to the usual fixtures, the Talteann games regatta at Cork, so let us all, who have the interests of rowing at heart, unite in one grand effort to capture more "poor" for the "Old Cornerstone."

ONE OF THE DEMOCRATS. (This correspondence is now closed.—Ed. D.O.)

G. A. A.

WATERFORD COUNTY BOARD.

At a meeting of the above held in the Town Hall, Dungarvan, on Sunday last, Mr. D. Fraher, chairman, presiding, the following draws in the first round of the County Championships (West Division) were made: Junior Football—Ballynora v. Dungarvan, at Dungarvan, March 18th. Kilsrossanty v. Ballylamee at Kilmacthomas March 25th. Ring v. Ballyduff, at Whitechurch, April 1st. Villierstown v. Kinsalebeg, at Villierstown on Sunday, April 8th. Stradbally v. Kilgobnet, at Dungarvan, March 18th. Brickey Rangers a bye.

Junior Hurling—Kilmacthomas v. Durrow, at Kilmacthomas, March 25th. Abbeyside v. Four-Mile-Water, at Dungarvan, March 25th. Knocknave v. Lismore, at Tallow April 1st. Ballynora v. Dungarvan, at Lismore, April 15th. Tallow a bye. Senior Football—Dungarvan v. Kinsalebeg, Lismore v. Brickey Rangers, Kilsrossanty a bye. Senior Hurling—Dungarvan v. Lismore, Tallow a bye.

BLOCKS v. BRICKS.

To the Editor of the "Observer." Sir—I see in last week's issue of "Observer" a discussion by members of Dungarvan Urban District Council re Irish manufacture where the Chairman said brick houses cost the taxpayer £20 each or £400 for a scheme of twenty houses more than if built with foreign cement. If my memory serves me right, the £20 mentioned was a compromise between Council and Contractor owing to a change from concrete blocks to bricks after tender being accepted. In my opinion a house built with stone and mortar of the same plan is £25 cheaper and 75 per cent. better value than concrete; also the money we are exporting for foreign cement to mix with salt water gravel is kept at home to relieve unemployment. To my mind there are far too many in this country huxtering, peddling and retailing, and nearly all foreign stuff at that. The greatest patriots are the greatest sinners. Don't speak anything but Irish and use anything but Irish. JOHN FLYNN.

OBITUARY.

MRS. MARGARET BURKE, DURROW.

We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Margaret Burke, Durrow, which occurred at her residence on Saturday last after a few weeks' illness, borne with Christian resignation and fortified by the rites of Holy Church. Her death removes an esteemed and familiar personality from the district. She was a lady of amiability and sociability, whose aim ever was to do good amongst those whom she lived, and by her charm of manner and lovable disposition she won the affection of all who knew her. Her respected family and her brother—Mr. Patrick Wall, Ballynavogga—have in their bereavement caused by her death the sympathy of a wide circle of friends. R.I.P.

On Sunday evening her remains were removed from her late residence to the Parish Church, Stradbally, and were followed by an extremely large and representative cortege drawn from all parts.

On Monday Requiem Office and High Mass was celebrated for the repose of her soul. The celebrant was Rev. T. O'Shea, C.C., Stradbally. The other priests present were—Very Rev. J. Lennon, P.P., Stradbally; Rev. W. Burke, C.C., do.; Very Rev. W. Keogh, P.P., Kilsrossanty and Rev. H. O'Brien, C.C., do. Subsequently the interment took place in the adjoining graveyard in the presence of her family and a large gathering of relatives and friends.

MASTER DERMOT O'CONNOR, ENGLISHTOWN.

Deep sympathy is felt for Mr. John O'Connor, Englishtown, on the death of his younger son Dermot aged 11 years, which took place in the District Hospital, Dungarvan, on Monday morning after a few days' illness. He was a bright, cheerful boy, a general favourite with his schoolmates and teachers, and had a charm of manner which endeared him to all. His funeral on Wednesday from the Parish Church, Dungarvan, to the family burial ground, Kilsrossanty was largely attended, people having travelled long distances as a mark of respect to the esteem in which Mr. O'Connor and his family are held. R.I.P.

MR. JOHN O'NEILL, MARY STREET, DUNGARVAN.

The death took place during the week-end of Mr. John O'Neill, Mary street, after a brief illness. The late Mr. O'Neill spent a number of years in the R.I.C. and was a broadminded, upright and honourable man, who won the respect of all with whom he came in contact. A good and pious Catholic, he passed peacefully away fortified by the rites of the Church. To his bereaved widow and family deep sympathy is extended in their sorrow. R.I.P. The interment took place in the Parish Cemetery in the presence of a large gathering of friends and relatives.

MRS. HELEN A. FARRELL, YOUGHAL.

On Tuesday morning the death took place at her residence Red House, Youghal, of Mrs. Helen A. Farrell, wife of Mr. Thomas Farrell, one of Youghal's leading citizens. Her death after a brief illness came as a great shock to her husband, family and innumerable friends. She was a member of a well-known Dungarvan family, being daughter of the late T. O'B. Williams and sister of Mr. G. St. G. Williams, Manager Provincial Bank, Dungarvan; Miss J. Williams, Shandon and the late Dr. E. P. Williams, solicitor, and Dr. J. W. Williams. She was a lady of refinement and had a most amiable disposition, which endeared her to all. Her funeral takes place this (Friday) evening at 3 o'clock to the North Abbey Cemetery, Youghal.

MRS. A. W. PAXMAN, LISMORE.

After special service at Ballyrath House, all that was mortal of Mrs. Marion Paxman, the beloved wife of Mr. Arthur W. Paxman, were removed for interment at the St. Carthage's Cemetery, Lismore, on Tuesday last at 2 p.m. The route taken by the sad cortege was via Main street South Mall and Chapel street. It was a large and representative cortege embracing all kinds of the community, as the deceased was a kind, refined and charitable lady, whose generosity was unbounded, and especially at the festive season when to the poor of the district and the employees at the Butter Factory she had been noted to extend her charity since her advent to Ballyrath House over twenty years ago. Deceased was an active member of the Committee of Lismore District Nursing Association since its inception, and in all charitable undertakings she was associated, and her purse strings loosened when any movement was initiated to relieve distress in the district.

In this hour of sorrow Mr. Arthur W. Paxman, her husband, the Managing Director of Messrs. Paxman and Co. Ltd., and a generous employer of labour—Paxman's Butter Factory—has the sympathy of all in his bereavement. At the funeral the employees of the firm marched two deep in front of the remains and carried them to the graveside.

A lorry drawn by two horses brought the wreaths, which for the season of the year, were an exquisite collection, chiefly composed of lilies and numbering 49. The Rev. W. J. Bruce Little, M.A., and Rev. Wm. McKean and Rev. V. J. Cotter, Cork, officiated at the graveside. The other clergyman at the funeral were—Very Rev. W. P. Canon Burke, P.P., V.F., Lismore, and Ven. Archdeacon Burkill, Cappoquin; the Dean of Lismore, Rev. Gordon D. Ersteine and Rev. Henry Smith. A large number of clergymen from Cork as well as a chartered bus party of Cork friends were also present.

The chief mourners were—Mr. A. W. Paxman (husband); Miss Dora Paxman (daughter); Mrs. S. Cornish, Miss Ruth Paxman, Mr.

W. Shillingford, Mr. Lawson Shillingford, Mr. Leonard Shillingford, Mr. Jack Shillingford, Mr. Jack Shillingford, Miss Shillingford, Mrs. Luff, Mrs. Booth, Mr. W. Paxman, Mr. B. Paxman.

Wreaths were sent from the following—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Daly, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald and family, Miss Usher, Mr. and Mrs. McKewen, Miss Nugent and Miss Kelly, Dad and Dora, brothers and sisters, Mrs. McGrath and family the Dean of Lismore and Mrs. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Fanning and family, Miss A. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hamilton and family, Nellie Gary and Josie Power, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur, Mr. O. Thomas (Bridlington); Mr. Ted Whitaker, Staff of Mr. Chas. Daly, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood, Mr. and Mrs. MacBride, Mr. and Mrs. Allen and family, Will Maggie and the children, Mr. and Mrs. C. Brown and family (Banbury); Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Shillingford, Freda, Madge, Jim, Gerald, Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. R. Paxman (Abingdon); Mr. and Mrs. S. Cornish and family, Mrs. W. Paxman (Oxford); Mr. and Mrs. Harry Long, Employees of Paxman and Co. Ltd.; the Congregation of Lismore Presbyterian Church, Mr. C. Galloway and Miss McMeekin, the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, the British ex-Servicemen, Lismore; Mr. and Mrs. H. Cornish, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Beecher, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wood, Mr. Neill and family, Archdeacon and Mrs L. B. Burckett, Mrs. H. King and family, Mr. James Russell and family, Cappoquin Bacon Factory, Lt.

Kilmacthomas News

SEED-TIME. Cultivators would be well advised to call to the Seed Stores of Mr. Edward Hill, Seed Merchant, Kilmacthomas, who is the sole agent for Garton's Guaranteed Seeds over the area embracing Waterford City and County, South Tipperary, and South Kilkenny, as he has now on offer an enormous stock of all varieties of grain and root crop seeds at prices which are reckoned remarkably reasonable. All interested are respectfully asked to read Mr. Hill's advertisement appearing elsewhere on this issue. Mere amon.

DEATH. It is our sad duty to chronicle the death of Mr. Patrick Coyne, which occurred on Friday of last week at his late residence at Graw, Kilmacthomas. Deceased, who had reached a venerably ripe old age, was a well and favourably known farmer throughout these parts. On Sunday the remains were removed for interment to Clashmore Cemetery and were accompanied by a large and representative cortege. May he rest in peace.

THE MONTHLY FAIR. Owing to circumstances arising out of the recent foot and mouth outbreak, this fair, held on Tuesday last, was probably one of the tamest fairs as yet associated with our little township. The very few exchanges transacted were between vendors and local buyers.

GAMES OF THE GAEL. On to-morrow (Sunday) week two important matches will be decided at Kilmacthomas, in an ideal venue given gratis for the occasion by Mr. J. Shanahan. The competing teams will be Brickey Rangers v. Fenor (football) and Erin's Own v. Dungarvan (hurling). Only a few short months since the same clubs clashed in the above order in last year's County Championship finals, and a brace of keenly-knit scientific struggles for supremacy was deliciously served up to crowds of enthusiastic spectators. The coming football tie is a challenge affair for a set of medals, and the players concerned are now training hard for the event. The canine conflict will mark the final round in connection with the Kilmacthomas Gold Medal Tournament, and as the records of both bunches concerned are known to all Gaels in the county, an exhilarating exhibition of canine craft promises to be in the offing for all will be onlookers. The well-known Waterford referee, Mr. Willie Walsh, will have charge of the whistle in each of these East v. West battles. The net takings at the gate will go to the Durrow Handball Club to complete the erection of a regulation ball-court under G.A.A. auspices at Graw. A red-letter day in the annals of Kilmacthomas is anticipated.

GOOD BREAD AND CHEAP. Our esteemed readers are asked to kindly note the important and interesting announcement re the Kilmacthomas Machine Bakery, published among the advertisements. The "K. M. B." is owned and controlled by Messrs. Patrick Kiersey and Percy Kirwan, both proprietors of general businesses in the town. As a happy result of the joint initiative of these widely-respected gentlemen, bread may now be had here at 10d. per 4lb. loaf. Messrs. Kiersey and Kirwan will have further announcements regarding their combined concern for our advertising department in due course.

LATE MR. PAT POWER, GRAIGARUSH. At a recent meeting of the Fews Branch Irish Farmers' Union the following letter, received by Mr. David Power (Ballyboy), chairman, was read and ordered to be inserted on the minutes—"Graigarush, Kilmacthomas. Dear Mr. Power—On behalf of myself and family I wish to thank the members of the Farmers' Union and you personally for your very kind resolution of sympathy in our recent bereavement. I appreciate very much your kind remarks about the interest and courage my late husband displayed when discussing the business of farmers' interests, a fact which I can well believe, judging from his sound advice on all home affairs. With renewed thanks, I am, yours very sincerely—Mary M. Power."

Fews Cow-Testing Association, on the proposition of Mr. Nicholas Wall, ex-T.D., seconded by Mr. T. G. Flavanan, passed a resolution of sympathy with the relatives of the late Mr. P. Power, and adjourned their meeting at a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased gentleman.

THE LATE MISS BRIDGET O'CONNOR, CROUGH, KILROSSANTY. At the interment of the above-named estimable young lady, whose untimely demise was reported in these columns, the following were amongst the chief mourners—Mr. Patk. O'Connor (father); Messrs. Patrick, Thomas and Peter O'Connor (brothers); Mr. and Mrs. Keating, Kilsrossanty; Mrs. Fitzgerald, Ardmore; Mrs. Dee, Dungarvan; Mrs. Foley, Ashdown; Miss O'Connor, Grange; Miss Fitzgerald, do.; Miss Eily Finn, Englishtown; Mrs. Curran, O'Connell street, Dungarvan; Mrs. O'Connor, Ballyboy; Mrs. Gough, Ballyroque; Mr. John O'Connor, Englishtown; Mr. Roger O'Connor, Grange, Ardmore; Mr. Dan O'Connor, do.; Mr. Patrick Fitzgerald, Ardmore; Mr. J. Curran, do.; Mr. James Cummins, Island, Stradbally, etc. (cousins and relatives). Asking for the prayers of his congregation at Kilsrossanty Parish Church, Fr. Keogh, P.P., spoke in very feeling terms of the deceased lady.

Fews Cow-Testing Association voted condolence to Mr. Patk. O'Connor (a valued member of the Association) on the premature death of his only daughter. This was proposed by Mr. Richard Walsh, seconded by Mr. T. G. Flavanan, and passed in respectful silence.

RAIN THE ROBBER.

HOW TO COMBAT A WET WINTER.

Science and agriculture to-day walk hand in hand. Their joint enemy is rain such as we have had for months past.

A survey of the progress of agriculture during the past 50 years shows that science is playing an ever increasing part in solving practical problems and assisting the farmer to reach and maintain highest possible yields. What does science teach about rain and agriculture? Amongst recent recruits to the ranks of Agriculture Science are the Meteorologists, and the Wireless Broadcasting expert. They are able to supply the farmer with reasonable accurate weather forecasts, which is a re invaluable in an industry where weather is often the vital factor, determining success or failure.

The more during Meteorologists can foresee the day when it may be possible to forecast the nature of the coming season and allow the farmer to make his plans accordingly!

However, until the Meteorologist has perfected his methods of prediction, the farmer must still, to a large extent, be at the mercy of the elements and use what means he can to counteract them. A study of the relation between rainfall and crop yields is amply repaid for a practical step is indicated. It will have been noticed by many farmers that a wet autumn and winter, such as we are experiencing this year, invariably results in poor cereal crops. We start with a bad seed bed and with a soluble plant food washed out of the soil by the heavy rain. The plant never recovers from its start.

It will be seen that high autumn (and the same applies to winter) rainfall means a low cereal yield. How can the farmer counteract this, and secure a good crop? Probably the most important soluble plant food which is lost in the drainage water is nitrogen, and this loss the farmer can easily make good.

The following figures from the Rothamsted Experimental Station Reports show that this loss of nitrogen occurs in a greater degree in a wet season.

The greater part of the drainage loss occurs during the autumn and winter months.

There is only one practical solution. The farmer must apply soluble nitrogen to his cereals in the spring following after a wet autumn and winter. In other words he should top-dress all his cereals in early spring with an suitable nitrogenous fertilizer such as Sulphate of Ammonia. This fertilizer supplies the most suitable form of nitrogen as it combines with the soil as soon as it is applied. It is not washed out. It is firmly held until soil temperature increases, and then is gradually released as the plant requires it.

The usual course is to apply a dressing varying from one to two cwt. per acre according to the type of soil and variety of cereal. The increase in yield from a dressing of one cwt. sulphate of ammonia per acre at Rothamsted was: Increase in crop—Wheat, 4½ bushels; Barley, 4½ bushels; Oats, 7 bushels.

As the cost of a 1 cwt. per acre dressing of sulphate of ammonia is roughly 10s. 6d., the resultant increase of crop amply repays the cost of the fertilizer, and farmers would be well advised to proceed with their top-dressing as soon as possible, and make good the loss that has been incurred, by rain the robber, and all who habitually use top-dressings may this year safely increase the dressings by fifty per cent.

LECTURE AT YOUGHAL.

On Thursday night week, under the auspices and in aid of the League of the Cross, Youghal, the Rev. L. Kenrick, C.C., delivered a lecture in the Town Hall on a subject of ever deep interest to Catholics, "Lourdes." Long before the appointed hour, £30, the spacious hall-room was crowded to its utmost capacity, including the approaches to the stage and side wings, while a large number had to be excluded as it was impossible to get in beyond the door.

Having visited the sacred spot himself and taken many pictures of the various points of religious interest, and of the scenes of the pilgrimage in which he personally took part, the rev. lecturer was in a specially favoured position to do justice to the fruitful subject of "Lourdes." The result was that for over 2½ hours he held the wrapt attention of his audience and carried them with him through the scenes and incidents with which he dealt. At the conclusion he drew the obvious moral from his lecture. His delivery was frequently interrupted and punctuated with warm expressions of appreciations.

At the conclusion Mr. P. J. O'Gorman, P.C., U.D.C., in the unavoidable absence of the Very Rev. Canon O'Donoghue, P.P., proffered the warmest thanks of the League and of the audience to Fr. Kenrick for the very able and intensely interesting lecture they had just listened to. He had attended many lectures in that hall, but had never heard anything like that they had the privilege and pleasure of listening to that night (applause).

During the lecture the hymn "Ave" was thrown on the screen, and was devoutly rendered by the choir under the able conductorship of Mr. M. J. Firmin, organist, the audience joining in.

The lecture was repeated at Gurroes on Sunday with a like success in all respects.

DUNGARVAN BRANCH I.N.T.O.

The members of the above are urgently requested to forward immediately subscriptions for current year, as it is proposed to publish names of Associated Teachers in the near future.—B. Murphy (Sec.)





Patriot Passes Away.

DEATH OF MR. WM. O'BRIEN.

On Saturday evening at 9 p.m. Mr. Wm. O'Brien, the well-known Irish patriot, passed to his eternal reward. He went to London on the Tuesday previous to consult a specialist about his health. He was accompanied by Mrs. O'Brien. While reading a newspaper in the Hotel Belgravia, where he was staying, he had an attack of heart disease and passed away in a few moments.

The late Mr. O'Brien had a notable career, especially during the lengthened period in which he took an active part in Irish politics, and not only his numerous friends and supporters, but many of his opponents in the stirring campaigns in which he engaged from time to time will deeply mourn his loss. A capable and brilliant journalist and author, a distinguished and strenuous politician, and a friend and counsellor to many acquaintances, he rendered innumerable services to his country and its interests. Many people, no doubt, differed with his views and policy on occasions, but all recognised his sincerity and wonderful ability and energy in the causes that he espoused and championed.

He was a brilliant writer, and eloquent and forceful orator, and a public representative of many outstanding qualities and capabilities. Son of Mr. and Mrs. James O'Brien, the latter being a daughter of Mr. James Nagle, a member of a well-known Cork County family, Mr. William O'Brien received his early education at Clonay Diocesan College. At the early age of 17 he decided to enter on a literary career, and joined the staff of the Cork newspaper, "The Herald," performing the duties of a reporter for many years. During that period he attended courses at the old Queen's College in Cork, and gained a law scholarship. He afterwards transferred his services, in a literary capacity, to the well-known Dublin newspaper, "The Freeman's Journal," and his articles brought him into prominence in the public life of the country.

Mr. O'Brien afterwards entered the political arena, and during that time conducted a number of newspapers, including "United Ireland." It was at such a time that the Land League came into existence, and for its activities Mr. O'Brien, with Mr. Parnell and a number of other workers in that movement, were arrested and confined in Kilmainham Gaol. The newspaper conducted by Mr. O'Brien was suppressed, though it was afterwards printed in England and Paris, and several members of its staff were also subjected to terms of imprisonment. Mr. O'Brien, however, continued to take an active interest in the political situation of that period, and his work met with considerable recognition, especially from the tenant farmers who were striving to secure possession of their lands from the landlords. It was a stirring time, but Mr. O'Brien, with Mr. Parnell and Mr. Davitt and Mr. Dillon and other leaders, never slackened in their efforts for the advancement of such a movement. It was a movement that also had the support of the vast majority of the people of the country.

Throughout its progress Mr. O'Brien was presented nine times for political offences, and spent a number of years in prison. It was in the year 1883 that he was first elected to the British Parliament or House of Commons, being elected as Nationalist representative for the Constituency of Malow, his native town. It was a historic election in many respects, but in defeating the Irish Attorney-General Mr. O'Brien secured a very decisive victory for the Nationalist movement developed in the country at that time. Mr. O'Brien afterwards sat as representative of the constituencies of South Tyrone, North-East Cork, and Cork City, and spent many years in such a capacity in the House of Commons, and in leading or prominently assisting political movements of the time in Ireland. He was a popular figure at demonstrations, and addressed many gatherings in every part of the country.

It was probably from the "Plan of Campaign" movement that Mr. O'Brien became such a prominent figure in Irish political life. Following the defeat of Mr. Gladstone's Home Rule measure, the movement in question was inaugurated by Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Dillon, and was vigorously carried out in many parts of the country. It was then that the Chief Secretary of Ireland the present Earl Balfour, put into power a Coercion Act with the object of suppressing the campaign, and under that measure Mr. O'Brien suffered imprisonment with Mr. Dillon and others also engaged in it.

When the memorable "Parnell Split" occurred Mr. O'Brien was in America, but he returned to Ireland and supported the view of the other Nationalist leaders who were opposed to Mr. Parnell's continuance in the position of the leadership of the Irish representatives in the House of Commons. During these negotiations Mr. O'Brien was imprisoned in Galway Gaol. Mr. O'Brien was afterwards prominent in the United Irish League, which was established in 1900, and under the leadership of the late Mr. John Redmond, rendered some years' useful service to its movement at home and abroad.

During that period, 1903, he participated in the Land Conference, following which the Wyndham Act was introduced and passed in Parliament. Some time later, however, Mr. O'Brien found himself in disagreement with some of his colleagues, and he resigned his Cork City seat. He was, however, subsequently re-elected, but did not participate in Parliamentary affairs with his former vigour, and eventually another retirement took place. After a short interval a writ was moved and at the ensuing election the late Mr. Maurice Healy was returned to Mr. O'Brien's vacancy, the other sitting member at the time being the late Mr. Augustine Roche. Then came the launching of the All-Ireland League, and at the two general elections in 1910 Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Healy were returned for the constituency. During subsequent years Mr. O'Brien was actively engaged in the promotion of the interests of his new League movement, and he started a local publication for the purpose of its furtherance. When the Great War broke out Mr. O'Brien declared himself on the side of the Allies and held a recruiting meeting in the City Hall, when he said that wherever the Cork boys would be in the war he and his wife would not be far away. Before the war had ended Mr. O'Brien's newspaper had ceased publication, and he did

DUNGARVAN LITERARY CLUB.

ANNUAL REUNION.

A very enjoyable and interesting night's proceedings took place on the occasion of the annual Reunion of the members of the Dungarvan Literary Club on Sunday week. The large room was prettily well filled and comprised members of the Club as well as many who were present by special invitation. The President, Mr. E. Phelan, occupied the chair and most efficiently conducted the proceedings, which went off without a hitch. There was a good deal of high-class talent displayed in song and recitations, and all through the entertainment the hall resounded with plaudits of the audience. Miss K. L. Keohan and Mr. M. Walsh presided at the piano alternately and rendered the accompaniments in their usual high-class style. The proceedings opened by the President announcing the pleasure it was to him and the members of the Club to see so many present at their annual function, and he had hopes that from the items that would be given the audience would be much pleased and retain happy recollections of the entertainment.

The first item given was "The Moon Hath Risen," which was sung by Messrs. E. Phelan and J. Keohan, their fine voices blending most harmoniously all through the piece. Loud applause greeted their pleasing effort. Then the old favourite, Mr. Luke Dalton, sang "Kathleen Mavourneen" with much zest. He was in splendid voice, and when the applause had subsided he gave for an encore "Somebody's Sailor Boy," which was also loudly applauded.

Miss Joe Tobin was next called on, and sang in perfect tone and with surprising sweetness Moore's well-known melody, "The Last Rose of Summer." In response to an encore she gave "Because I Love You." The item set down for Mr. Bowman was passed over as that gentleman was suffering from a cold. Mr. J. Keohan next sang "Farewell to the Desert," which was loudly applauded, and for an encore he sang equally well, "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes," and received another ovation. Mr. Higgins recited some tragic and comic pieces and showed himself proficient in the art of elocution. Mr. Philip Murphy sang with great verve, "Truth in Death," and for an encore sang "My Irish Home." Both these items were loudly applauded. Miss Rita Morrissey and Mr. J. Keohan sang a splendid duet, "Hear Me, Norma," with accompaniment, and the lady's sweet voice gave impressive rendition to the piece, while the two voices blended in perfect harmony, even in the most difficult parts. For an encore they sang the famous duet from "Il Trovatore," "Home to Our Mountains," and were loudly complimented by the vigorous applause. The Chairman, as a variety, proposed the health of Mr. Edmund Keohan, whom he described as the founder of the Club, and expressed his pleasure at his being present there that night. The audience sang lustily, "He's a Jolly Good Fellow," and then Mr. Keohan replied in felicitous terms. Miss Rita Morrissey and Mr. J. Keohan then sang "Turn On Old Time," and this piece, too, they sang in splendid form and were much appreciated. Master Murphy then recited a classic from Shakespeare followed by Southey's fine poem "Lord William and Edmund." His elocution was very fine and dramatic, and he was loudly cheered. Mr. M. J. Harris went to the piano and to his own accompaniment sang "The Tempest of the Heart," with much precision and feeling, and treated the difficult passages of Verdi's great song with much ability and accuracy. He gave as an encore "In Happy Moments," and received another ovation. Miss Rita Morrissey sang sweetly "The Hills of Donegal," and for an encore "Ben Bolt," and the audience were charmed with both items. Mr. E. Phelan sang "Drinking" with fine effect, and then gave "Even Bravest Hearts," both of which items were loudly applauded. To Miss Tobin's playing on the piano the audience sang "The More We Are Together" and "Show Me the Way to Go Home." The vigour of the singing caused great fun. The "Larboard Watch" was next given by Messrs. L. Dalton and Harris, and next Mr. Hennebery treated the audience to a couple of comics, which cheered them immensely. A final item was given by proposing a vote of thanks to the President by Mr. McComiskey, which was hilariously received, to which the President replied, and said all things must come to an end. He thanked Miss Keohan and Mr. Walsh for presiding at the piano, and he also thanked Miss Morrissey and Miss Tobin for their services in singing. The audience then sang all together "Oft in the Stilly Night" with tremendous effect, and the audience separated highly pleased with the excellent entertainment they had heard.

Dungarvan Urban Council

MEETING ADJOURNED.

At the weekly meeting of the above on Friday night last Mr. M. Brennock, P.C., chairman, presided. Also present—Messrs. J. Curran, T. J. Power and J. Hackett.

EXPENDITURE.

The pay sheet for the week, which amounted to £11 2s. 5d., was passed.

SYMPATHY.

The Chairman proposed, and Mr. Power seconded the following resolution, which was passed in silence—"That this council tender to the family and relatives of the late Mr. E. McGrath our very deep sympathy on their great loss, and that we adjourn this meeting as a mark of respect to his memory."

Mr. Curran proposed, and Mr. Hackett seconded—"That the sympathy of the board be tendered to the relatives of the late Walter Wall."

not offer himself as a candidate for the city at the 1918 general election. Following his retirement, he took little or no part in public life, beyond writing occasional letters to the Press justifying his past policy. During this period he published the third volume of his Reminiscences, also a life of Edmund Burke, with whom he claimed kinship. His last publication, issued shortly before Christmas, consisted of a collection of miscellaneous articles and essays, which had been written from time to time during his career as a journalist. The demise of Mr. O'Brien leaves only two or three links with the days of Parnell, and the passing of such a prominent figure in Irish public life will evoke widespread sorrow throughout the nation.

CATHOLIC TRUTH SOCIETY.

YOUGHAL BRANCH.

The annual general meeting of the above was held in the Carnegie Free Library on Sunday. Very Rev. Canon O'Donoghue, P.P., presided, and among those present were—Rev. D. Dineen, D.D.; Rev. L. Kenefick, C.C.; Rev. Fr. O'Callaghan, C.C.; Dr. M. and Mrs. Twomey, Messrs. J. L. and Mrs. Keane, M. Ryan, Glennally, D. Denehy, Gibbalt, Terrace; C. O'Flynn, T. McBreedy, T. Hanson, C. Westham, C.D.C.; C. Crowley, Mrs. Lee, Miss O'Ryan, Miss Riordan, R. Savage, M. O'Neill, T. Loughlin, T. H. and Mrs. Purcell, M. Foley, P. J. O'Gorman, P.C., U.D.C.; T. P. Walsh, J. Power, J. Egan, R. Power, W. Coughlan, U.D.C., etc.

The Secretary read the annual report as follows:—144 members and subscribers were enrolled, making an increase of 67 over the previous year. The Executive held 13 meetings. There is a known circulation of 29,224 Catholic papers and periodicals for the year, comprising 22 publications, including seven weeklies, two fortnightlys, nine monthlies, one bi-monthly, two quarterlies, one annual, to which may be added 4,280 books taken from the church boxes making a grand total of 33,504 Catholic publications circulating in the Parish of Youghal during the year. This may be taken as the minimum known circulation. The newspapers gave every assistance to the Society in the matter of supplying wholesome literature, also in suppressing the sale of unclean publications, and have given much attention to the selection of books both for sale and in stocking circulating libraries, with the result there is a marked improvement in the quality of reading matter put before the public. Steps were taken to prevent the introduction by rail of undesirable papers for sale during the summer season. On one occasion a newsboy brought in a small quantity of undesirable imported papers. They were secured and the vendor paid their value, and he was cautioned not to repeat the attempt.

Mr. O'Flynn, in proposing the adoption of the report, said it gave them an idea of the immense work done in providing their homes with good literature—a work which had inspired nobler feelings and greatly improved the tone of the whole town. He would like to specially acknowledge the deep debt of gratitude they owed to their secretary (Mr. Coughlan). He had been absolutely tireless in his efforts to carry on the work of the committee to a great success (hear, hear). He also wished to refer to the great help given them during the year—and indeed, since the inception of the branch by the lady members of the committee, especially Miss O'Flynn, Mrs. Twomey, Mrs. Cranwell, Mrs. Helen Walsh, Miss T. Riordan and others (hear, hear). They would be all pleased to learn that the Library of the Catholic Y.M.S. had been stocked with a good supply of fine, wholesome reading, including biography, science, travel, good fiction, etc. That had improved the tone of the place considerably, inspiring the members with a taste for good literature. Regarding the circulation of weekly papers locally, he suggested that it might be increased by a distribution by hand.

Mr. Crowley seconded the adoption of the report. The Very Rev. Chairman said the figures given by their energetic Secretary were very encouraging, but there was still room for improvement. Mr. O'Flynn had anticipated him in referring to the weekly papers. In a town like this there should be a weekly Catholic paper in every true Catholic home. At present they had only one Catholic paper published in Ireland, the "Irish Catholic"—a good paper, which he would like to see in every home. There were also a few good English Catholic papers. In the coming year they hoped to have a Catholic paper brought out in Ireland and great things were expected from it. He felt confident that, by making a great effort they could secure a wide circulation for it in their own town. He was glad and proud to know that so many books and booklets had been sold out of the Society's boxes in the Parish Church at Gurtree and in the Convent Church. Their membership had gone up, but it should be much larger, and he hoped to see a big increase during the coming year. Referring to the large quantity of undesirable literature dumped into the country from across Channel, much of it absolutely immoral and sipping at undermining the faith of the Irish people, and extensively bought and read by Irish Catholics, he said: "That is what the Catholic Truth Society has been up against." The Society had done good work, but from the start it had been handicapped, especially by lack of funds. In 1922 their premises and all their property had been burned, with the result that they had to start on the new. Hence they could not hope to accomplish the good work in hand without the assistance of the people of Ireland. It was for that reason that the Cardinal and Bishops of Ireland had invited the people to establish committees in every parish. He asked them all to join the endeavour to bring in a good many new members in the near future. The subscription was only 5s. a year, and how many families spent much more than 5s. a week on pictures and other forms of amusement? He hoped the good ladies who had done such noble work in the past would again help them in procuring additional members in the coming year. He should like to thank very much their very zealous secretary (hear, hear), and after him the lady members who gave such valuable assistance (hear, hear).

The report was then adopted. Mr. Keane proposed the re-election of the old officials and committee. They had done good work in the past, and it was therefore both wise and right to continue them in office. He would like to say how much he appreciated the work of their energetic secretary, not alone in that, but in other spheres of charitable action. This was seconded by Mr. Crowley and passed unanimously. At the invitation of the Very Rev. Chairman, Dr. Dineen gave a detailed and interesting description of the proposed new Catholic paper, and the meeting adjourned.

CAPPOQUIN ROWING CLUB.

The annual general meeting of the Cappoquin Rowing Club will be held on next Monday night, as the first meeting in March must be the date for this meeting according to the rules of the Club. As the election of officers and committee for the ensuing year will be the principal business to be disposed of, now is the time for

Cappoquin Notes.

BALLINAMEELA CHURCH REPAIR FUND.

The "Monster 45 Drive" organised some time ago for the purpose of helping to wipe off the heavy debt incurred by the popular and zealous pastor, Very Rev. J. Gleeson, P.P., in having very necessary and extensive repairs to the Ballinameela Catholic Church carried out last year, was brought to a conclusion in Ballinameela Schoolhouse on Sunday week. The event proved even more successful than the promoters had ever anticipated, and received cordial support from people far outside the parish, notably Dungarvan, while it was also most generously supported by all classes of the parishioners of Aghish an Ballinameela.

The truth of this statement is proved by the fact that no less than 81 "sixes" representing 486 players, had entered the competition, which was a remarkable tribute to the great popularity of Father Gleeson, as well as a generous acknowledgement of the deserving nature of the appeal.

It took some considerable time to get the preliminary games played off between such a large number of competitors, but in the hands of Messrs Nicholas Morrissey, Cappagh; P. Condon, N. T., Ballinameela, and Jas. McGrath, do, who proved active and efficient Hon Secs. Everything was carried through without a hitch and the manner in which the final rounds were conducted on Sunday proved a triumph for the great organising powers of these gentlemen, who were ably assisted by Father Gleeson on the occasion. The substantial sum of £20 was offered in prizes, this being made up of £6 each for the winning pair, and £2 each for the four runners-up, and after a series of interesting and closely contested semifinals, the final "rubber" of five games was won by two brothers, viz., Messrs Michael and Patrick Healy, Carriglea; second pair, Messrs. Jas. Hayes, (junr) Dungarvan, and J. O'Connell, do, while the third pair were Rev. P. Sheehy, C.C., Aghish, and Mr. Thomas Healy Dro-more. A conclusion of the games, which were watched by a large and interested crowd, and valuable prizes were presented by Fr. Gleeson, after expressing thanks to all associated with it.

PLENTY OF PIGS.

It was first feared that the restrictions imposed on the movements of cattle and swine, owing to the outbreak of Foot and Mouth Disease in Wexford, would seriously interfere with the supply of pigs to the Cappoquin Bacon Factory, but the contrary has been the result we are pleased to say. Frightened lest these restrictions may become more drastic, or may prove to be prolonged many farmers have got rid of pigs that were not quite finished, so as to be on the safe side, and the supplies last week to the local factory have proved much larger than usual. As inevitably happens when the supply exceeds the demand, the price of bacon pigs dropped by 3s.

CAPPOQUIN BANDMAN'S DEATH.

IMPRESSIVE FUNERAL.

Not only in Cappoquin, his native town, but everywhere throughout the district where he was so well known, has the deepest regret been caused by the sad death of Mr. James Donovan, Main Street, Cappoquin, which occurred after a brief illness at his residence on Monday week at the comparatively early age of 51 years. A plasterer by trade, he was a finished and highly efficient worker, and with his brother Mr. David Donovan, had been responsible for the carrying out of many important contracts in the west of the county which for neatness and execution and artistic finish could not be excelled anywhere. In addition to this he was also a musician of rare talent, and for over 30 years had been a cornet player in the Cappoquin brass and reed band, and was always one of the first to offer his valuable services free in the cause of religion, charity, sport or country. His musical accomplishments were highly appreciated by his colleagues in the band, as well as by all sections of the public, and his death will now prove a serious loss to all.

The remains were removed to St. Mary's Catholic Church on Tuesday, and on Wednesday morning requiem masses were offered up for the eternal repose of his soul. The funeral took place to the old churchyard, Lismore, and proved one of the most imposing and impressive events witnessed in Cappoquin in recent years.

Leaving the church at 2 o'clock, the band, of which deceased had been so long an honoured and respected member, formed up at the head of the cortege, and with muffled drums and subdued music started the town. The solemn strains of this mournful funeral dirge lent an air of rare impressiveness to the scene, and incidentally recalled the many occasions on which the deceased had taken part as a member of the band in similar mournful occasions in the past. There was a very large and representative attendance at the funeral.

All those interested in the revival of the manly sport of rowing to take their places among the rank and file of the members and try to remove, if they can, the many defects in the administration of the Club about which they have been complaining, as this will be more practical and sportsmanlike than by adopting the safe role of "hunters on the fence."

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DEATH OF MR. JAMES O'MALLEY, BALLINAMEELA.

We regret to announce the death of the above popular and respected gentleman, which occurred at his residence, Ballinameela, on last Saturday week after a comparatively brief illness. The late Mr. O'Malley, who had attained his 70th year, was one of the largest and most prosperous farmers in the Ballinameela district, while he was also a cattle dealer on an extensive scale, and in this capacity was well and widely known amongst all sections of the farming community far outside the confines of his native Co. Waterford. A kind and obliging neighbour and a generous supporter of every charitable and National cause, his name was a household word throughout a wide area, where his honest and upright character in all his business dealings was recognised and appreciated by all. A good-living and exemplary Catholic all his life, his last moments were brightened by the kind ministrations of the Very Rev. J. Gleeson, P.P., Aghish, and the Rev. Father McEniry, C.C., Ballinameela, and his death proved a peaceful and happy one after he had received the last Sacraments of the Church he had loved so well from the latter clergyman on Saturday week. His wife having pre-deceased him only four months ago, the deepest sympathy is now felt for his respected children over this double affliction within such a short period, and striking evidence was afforded of this when his remains were removed on Sunday afternoon from his late residence to Ballinameela Catholic Church, only a short distance away. Not for many years has such an imposing funeral been seen in the district, as large numbers of relatives and sympathisers attended from Dungarvan, Clashmore, Aghish, Mellery, Cappoquin, Lismore and other distant parts of the country, while all the leading people from Ballinameela, Whitechurch, Cappagh, Rockfield and Modeligo, were also present the vast cortege proving a wonderful tribute of respect to the memory of the deceased.

After Requiem Masses on Monday morning the interment took place in the family burial place in Ballinameela Churchyard in the presence of a large gathering of sorrowing relatives and friends, the final prayers at the graveside being recited by Father McEniry, C.C. The chief mourners included—Miss Nellie O'Malley (daughter); Patrick

Michael and James (sons); Mrs. Kennedy, Mellery; sister; Thos. Kennedy, do, brother-in-law; Mrs. O'Malley, do, sister-in-law; Patrick, Jack and James O'Malley, do, and Michl. O'Carroll, Lismore (nephews); Mrs. Mason, Clashmore; Mrs. Fennessy, Glengarra, Lismore; and the Misses Maggie and Annie O'Malley, Mellery (nieces); Mrs. J. Foley, Mapstown (sister-in-law); L. Foley, do; L. Foley, Ballinacorney; Jack Foley, Johnstown; John and Mrs. Foley, Coolbeg, Clashmore; Miss Alice Power, Lismore; Modeligo; Miss Margaret Power, Carrowcorry, do; Mrs. Hickey, Vears-town, do; James, Dec. Kilmacphelan; Jack and Mrs. Dec. Mooney; James and Mrs. Buckley, Whitechurch; Pk. and Mrs. Condon, Coole; John and Mrs. Flavin, Ballymullala; David and Mrs. McGrath, Knockanerin; Clashmore; John and Mrs. Ryan, Cooneen; Aghish, Wm. and Mrs. Walsh, Oghish; Cappoquin; Patk. and Miss M. A. Truby, Grange; Jas. and Mrs. McGrath, Ballinameela; E. Fleming, Dungarvan; Thos. and Miss Julia Ormond, Villierstown; Stephen and Mrs. Hanney, do; Patk. O'Brien, Oxbeg, Lismore; John Fennessy, Glengarra, do; Patk. Mason, Clashmore; Thos. and Mrs. Scanlan, Coolaneen; Mrs. Dunford, Bohadon; Mrs. Dunford, Ballyconery; James and Mrs. Barron, Dungarvan; John O'Brien, do; Richard Dee, Burgery, etc. cousins and relatives. R.I.P.

PENSIONS CUT.

THE GOVERNMENT'S DECISION.

From April 6th next, old-age pensioners whose means (as ascertained in accordance with the existing acts) do not exceed £15 12s 6d. per year, will have pensions restored to the level at which they stood prior to the "cut" effected in 1922. This is the Government's decision, and will be embodied in an amendment to be moved by Mr. Blythe when Mr. Morrissey's resolution on the subject comes before the Dail.

Roughly, the effect of the concession is that the shilling will be restored to all those pensioners whose other means does not exceed six shillings a week. To put it in another way, those now in receipt of a pension of three shillings a week, or more—that is to say, the poorest of the pensioners—will get the extra shilling, but those receiving less than three shillings will not be effected.





**Youghal District Court.**

Before Mr. G. P. Farrell, B.L.  
Guard Geraghty charged Thomas Keniry, farmer, with using an unlighted vehicle. Defendant gave no excuse. Fined 5s.

Wm. Beausang, farmer charged by Sgt. Croftin, Ballymacoda, with a like offence, giving no excuse. Fined 5s.

Mr. Thomas Drohan, Inspector of Fisheries, charged Maurice Buttiner, Youghal, with having in his possession 34 salmon caught in the annual close season.

Mr. J. L. Keane prosecuted, and Mr. Wm. R. Hodnett defended.

Mr. Keane said this was an interesting case from many points of view. He was not in a position to put into the box a person able to swear that he had found the defendant in possession of those fish during the close season, but he hoped to be able to prove such facts that the inference could only point to guilt.

Guard Broderick deposed that at 10.35 on the 1st inst., when the close season had expired he observed a box at the railway station and on examining it found that it contained 15 salmon, the property of M. Buttiner, consigned to Messrs. Entwistle, Manchester. Getting suspicious, he went, and accompanied by Guard Roche, interviewed defendant.

Mr. Hodnett—I'd like to know whether witness cautioned him.

Witness—I did.

Mr. Keane—I didn't see it was at all necessary.

Mr. Hodnett—What did you say?

Witness—I said he should be careful of what he said as I intended reporting the case.

Mr. Hodnett submitted that was not sufficient. Witness said he interviewed him at 4 p.m. and gave him the usual caution.

Mr. Hodnett said in view of the heavy penalties involved witness should not have tried to trap defendant.

Mr. Keane—There was no necessity for a caution as it was only a matter of suspicion.

Replying to the Court witness said he had his mind made up to prosecute.

The Justice—That excludes the necessity for a caution.

Witness continuing said the defendant stated he had caught 14 fish that morning and bought one from a man named Mahony. When asked had he any more fish, defendant said he hadn't. Witness said he should make a search and defendant said he had 19—11 got from D. Murphy and 8 from M. Power. Witness proceeded to Murphy's place and on his way saw defendant coming from that direction. Witness then got into touch with Sgt. Acton, Clashmore, and as a result he again interviewed defendant when he made a statement in which he said he got the fish from Power's son, McCarthy.

Cross-examined by Mr. Hodnett—Would it be more correct to say that Buttiner said he had sent no more than the 15? I asked him had he any more in his premises, and he said no. I suppose you are familiar with the Act which gives you power in such cases—under which portion do you cross-examine?

Mr. Keane—I think the legal aspect ought to be left to me.

The Justice—This is a matter of law, not cross-examination.

Mr. Hodnett—I will submit that this Guard has exceeded his powers.

The Justice—Very well.

Meal Power deposed that he sold no fish to defendant on February 1st, nor authorised anybody to sell him fish. After Sgt. Acton interviewed him defendant called.

John Sexton, motor driver, deposed that he drove M. Buttiner to Power's place at 1.45 p.m. on February 1st.

Mr. Keane—That is my case. The onus is in the other side, having lied about the 8 fish.

Mr. Hodnett asked for a dismissal. He had no case to meet. At the most it was a case of suspicion, and assuming that the had lied about the car—

Mr. Keane—About the fish.

Mr. Hodnett—Or had given a wrong name as regards whom they got the fish from. Where was the offence? They were charged with having salmon in their custody "during the close season." The prosecution tried to prove the case by methods which he respectfully submitted were not fair to defendant to put it mildly.

The Justice—I cannot see that at all. I doubt that Guard Broderick has done anything but what he should do in the case of any other offence.

Mr. Hodnett, continuing, said there was absolutely no proof that any of the salmon in their possession were caught during the close season. Were they to be convicted in a case of suspicion.

Mr. Keane replying said he had it that, at 10.30 on the morning of the day on which the close season expired, the defendant had 34 salmon in his possession. That was not a case in which the defendant was not entitled to go into the box and contradict the statements of the prosecution. If Mr. Hodnett left the case where it was the prosecution were entitled to a conviction.

The Justice said in his opinion the only onus cast on defendants would be in a case where the fish were found or traceable in his custody during the close season. There was no proof at all that the were caught during the close season. He could not assume that because on the first day of the open season those fish were found in this man's possession, they must

have been caught during the close season. He dismissed the case.

Sergt. O'Shaughnessy charged Mr. P. J. Hurley, Customs and Excise Officer, with being in possession of a dangerous dog.

Miss M. O'Regan, the Strand, deposed that on February 15th as she was proceeding from the railway station to her residence, when passing Mr. Hurley's a kerry blue ran out and attacked and bit her. Only that Mr. Hurley's man came out and took the dog off, she didn't know what would have happened. She was afraid that the dog would attack her again and she asked that he be destroyed.

The Justice—Were you severely bitten? Yes. There were three marks of his teeth, which I had cauterised by a Doctor. The animal was very savage. I thought he had gone mad. He also tore my coat.

The Sergeant asked for an order for the destruction of the dog.

Mr. Hurley—I want to know where I stand in this case. What am I here for?

The Justice—You are summoned and the summons speaks for itself.

Mr. Hurley—What is it. I didn't read it.

The Justice—You have got a copy.

Mr. Hurley—I am presumed to be the owner of the dog.

The Justice—There is an order sough against you as owner.

Mr. Hurley—I don't see the necessity. I deny being owner.

The Justice—You don't want to be sworn?

Mr. Hurley—No.

The Justice—Very well, I will make an order for its destruction, and if you don't destroy it there is an alternative.

Mr. Hurley—Is it proved I am the owner?

The Justice—Mrs. O'Regan saw it coming out of your place. We cannot investigate the title beyond that.

Mr. Hurley then took the book and said the dog belonged to a Miss Francis. He was stolen by tinkers and sold to a man named Mountain, witness bought him from Mountain who said the dog came from Kerry. He brought him to Youghal when he found out the facts and told Mrs. Francis. The dog had been hanging about his premises.

The Justice—How long? Since August.

Cross-examined by the Sergt.—When you bought the dog last August did you take him to your premises? Yes. Have you got him there since? No. Where is he now? I couldn't tell you. When did you last see him? Some time this week. In your premises? Yes. Have you any objection to the dog being destroyed? The only objection I have is that I may take an action against the man who sold me the dog. I lost all interest in the dog when I found he had been stolen.

The Justice—What did you pay for him?

Mr. Hurley—£4.

The Justice—Did you report the larceny of the dog? I did.

Supt. Direen investigated the case and couldn't consider it was larceny at all, but matter for a civil action if Mr. Hurley wants to take it.

Supt. O'Shaughnessy said Mr. Hurley came to the Barracks and reported the matter as stated. He had written to Mountain and received an evasive answer. Sometime after he had a conversation with Mrs. Francis.

The Justice—Where was the dog when Mr. Hurley spoke to you? In his possession.

The Sergt, continuing, said Mrs. Francis told him the dog was not hers at all. Being of strange habits she had abandoned him. She didn't want him back again.

The Justice—When did she abandon him? Last March.

The Justice—And bought by Mr. Hurley in August.

Mr. Hurley—How can a person abandon a dog?

The Justice—Did you get a complaint from Mrs. Francis of the larceny of her dog?

The Sergt.—Never.

The Justice—Then it is not a case of larceny.

Mr. Hurley—She took the dog from me and my wife.

The Justice—I am told that this dog was stolen from this woman, but she made no complaint and therefore there is no larceny.

Supt. Direen—We did not ignore Mr. Hurley's complaint. We investigated the case fully.

The Justice said there was a lot of matter that was introduced into the case that was very unpleasant for him. He was there to decide a very simple question—whether the dog should be kept under control. The dog bit Miss O'Regan and tore her dress.

The dog came out of Mr. Hurley's and was called off by his man. He would not go into the matter beyond that. Mr. Hurley denied ownership. If a person permitted a dog to frequent his place he would be liable to pay the licence. He was not called upon to investigate a question of title, but to deal with the facts put before him.

Then Mr. Hurley said the dog was stolen and bought by him from a man named Mountain. Mrs. Francis, the original owner, said she abandoned the dog last March. Between March and August he found his way to Mountain, who sold him to Mr. Hurley. He didn't see how Mr. Hurley could say he wasn't the owner of the dog. He might have bought the dog with a voidable title. He might have bought the dog on false representations, but whatever the bargain or the conditions of the bargain, he is the owner of the dog. The alleged owner makes no complaint. Therefore, I don't see how he can be regarded as a stolen dog

at all.

Mr. Hurley—I don't acknowledge the ownership of the dog.

The Justice—I make an order on you as owner to destroy the dog. That is the only order I make.

William Fleming, Carrigeen was brought up on remand charged with the larceny of an overcoat at Dungourney.

Supt. Direen asked to have the accused remanded to Castlemartyn District Court, as the offence was committed in that district.

The application was granted.

Norah Murphy, Villierstown, domestic servant, was charged on remand with manslaughter and concealment of birth.

Supt. Direen prosecuted.

Evidence having been given by witnesses examined at the inquest, the accused was returned for trial, bail being allowed.

The Superintendent said the Civic Guard should have been informed of this matter.

The Justice—Did you not receive information?

The Superintendent—No Sir. The Guards had to find out themselves. There are too many of those cases happening around.

EXPERIMENTS WITH VARIETIES OF POTATOES AND GRAIN CROPS.

The results of the experiments conducted by the Agricultural Instructors in 1922, to discover the best varieties of the principal farm crops, have now been tabulated.

This information comes to hand at an opportune time, and gives the farmer an opportunity of making a wise selection of suitable varieties for the coming season. The experiments amongst others comprised tests with potatoes, barley, oats, wheat.

POTATOES

Four main crop varieties of potatoes, namely, Kerr's Pink, Arran Consul, Up-To-Date and Old Champion, were included in the past season's trials at 56 centres, and the average total yields per statute acre produced were as follows:—

Kerr's Pink, 14 tons 17 cwt.; Arran Consul, 14 tons 13 cwt.; Up-To-Date, 14 tons 7 cwt.; Old Champion, 14 tons 13 cwt.

Practically no diseased tubers were present in any of the varieties except old champions, which had also a relatively high proportion of small tubers. All the varieties included in the trials, with the exception of Arran Consul, are widely known and extensively cultivated. Arran Consul is an immune variety of recent introduction. It is a heavy cropper and produces somewhat irregularly-shaped, white-skinned, white-fleshed tubers with fairly shallow eyes. In table quality, however, it appears to be somewhat inferior to Kerr's Pink.

BARLEY

Three varieties of barley, viz, Spratt Archer 37-6; Spratt-Archer, 37, No. 3; Spratt-Archer 37, No. 4, were tested at 15 centres. All three varieties are narrow-eared, and have been produced by the Department's Seed Propagation Division. Spratt-Archer 37-6, which has a world wide reputation, was, as in former trials, included as the standard. Spratt-Archer 37, No. 4, and Spratt-Archer 37, No. 3, however, again proved superior in yield to the standard variety. The average yields of grain per statute acre were as follows:—Spratt-Archer, 37, No. 4, 23½ cwt.; Spratt-Archer 37, No. 3, 23 cwt.; Spratt-Archer 37-6, 22½ cwt.

OATS

Tests with four varieties of White Oats, the seed of which was obtained from the Department's Seed Propagation Station, were conducted at 24 centres. Banner-Tartary 9, a variety raised by the Department's Seed Propagation Division, which is very resistant to lodging and, therefore, well suited for sowing on rich or well-manured land, again produced the heaviest yield of grain, viz., 24½ cwt. Victory II, and Crown each produced 23½ cwt., and Victory 22½ cwt. per statute acre.

Tests with Black Oats were conducted at 22 centres. Black Englebrect, a variety of Swedish origin included for the first time in these trials, produced the heaviest yields of grain 25 cwt. It has a strong, stiff straw, and ripens early, but appears to be susceptible to smut. Black Bell and Black Tartary (a new selection) each produced 24 cwt. Most of these varieties of oats have been grown during the past season at numerous centres throughout the country as extension plots under the supervision of the Department and the Agricultural Instructors, and considerable quantities of seed of the varieties Victory, Victory II, Banner-Tartary 9, Black Tartary are available in many districts. Information as to where supplies of these varieties of oats may be procured can be obtained from the Agricultural Instructor for each district.

WHEAT

In the wheat variety trials, conducted at 40 centres, the following four varieties were included: Yeoman, Yeoman II, Queen Wilhelmina and Square Head Master. The varieties Yeoman and Yeoman II, which resemble each other very closely, are highly resistant to "lodging" and fungoid pests, and are spoken highly of by

**Tallow District Court.**

Before Mr. G. P. Farrell, B.L.  
Denis Ryan, Bridepark, Conna, was charged on remand with that on August 8th, he did by false pretences obtain the sum of £102 12s. 1. from the Munster and Leinster Bank, Tallow, with intent to defraud by falsely representing himself as Denis Ryan, of Curraglass, for whom the said sum was intended.

Mr. E. Carroll, Fermoy, defended.

Supt. Fleming, Fermoy, said he had received a 'phone message from Supt. O'Connor, Cappoquin, for the prosecution, asking for a further adjournment.

Mr. Carroll said he had received intimation from Supt. O'Connor to that effect, and he replied that he would oppose any further adjournment, and apply to have the case struck out until the prosecution were in a position to go on with the case. He understood one of the witnesses in the case was the American Consul. Now the accused had been charged last October with a serious offence. Since that time no evidence whatever had been adduced against him in any court there. That was his (Mr. Carroll's) second occasion appearing for him, and the man had previously appeared himself. The American Consul might be a very busy man, but he owed a serious duty to the public and to the accused—that justice should be done either to the public or to the accused. It was most unfair to that man to have such a charge held over him for almost six months and with no evidence against him so far—looked upon with suspicion by his friends and as an outlaw by his enemies. On the last occasion he (Mr. Carroll) consented to the adjournment as the Superintendent said it would be proceeded with undoubtedly that day. It was entirely incompatible with the spirit of justice to have such a charge hanging over any man indefinitely. If the prosecution could not proceed the case should be withdrawn, and he asked the court to strike it out.

Replying to the Justice, Mr. Carroll said the accused lived four miles away and that was the nearest court, but what he objected to was the charge being held over indefinitely.

Justice—Is there any ground for this adjournment?

Mr. Carroll—None whatever.

Sergt. Courtney—The witness can't attend.

Mr. Carroll—The American Consul is the witness that is wanted.

Supt. Fleming said he understood there were witnesses from Kanturk.

The Justice said he was no party to the previous arrangement for adjournment between Mr. Carroll and Supt. O'Connor. Personally he objected to all adjournments. He had attended frequently only to ratify adjournments arranged between the prosecution and the solicitors for the defence. In future he would insist on being consulted regarding adjournments.

After further lengthened discussion the case was again adjourned to next court, a 'phone message having been received from Supt. O'Connor, Cappoquin, that the necessary witness would attend without fail.

Guard O'Leary, Tallow, charged Martin Heffernan, Knockaun, in connection with the non-attendance at school of two of his children, one aged 11 and the other 12½.

Defendant said he was doing his best to send them to school every dry day, but the weather had been so bad lately that he did not like to have them in school all day in wet clothes. He had forgotten to send an excuse. The elder child was 14½ years old.

Defendant was let off.

Guard Walsh, Tallow, charged Mary Nicholson, Newport, with a similar offence.

There being no appearance for defendant, she was fine 5s.

The same complainant charged Jer. Hurley, Belvidere, Tallow, with having two unlicensed sheep dogs.

He was fined £1, reduced to 5s. in each case.

Guard Hanrahan charged Jeremiah Leary under the School Attendance Act.

Evidence having been given, he was let off, it being his first offence.

Edward Coughlan, Cullinagh, aged 17, was charged with indecently assaulting a child 8 years of age.

Supt. Fleming, Fermoy, prosecuted, and Mr. E. Carroll, defended.

The Superintendent having opened the case.

Mr. Carroll said there was nothing in it to justify the charge, which was reduced to common assault.

Sergt. Mullane, Ballynoe, deposed that after arrest the accused said the little girl called him a robber. He ran after her and she screamed. Wm. Hurley then came up and he ran away.

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Wm. Hurley, Kilphilbeen, deposed that on 15th inst. he saw accused, and the little girl going along a boreen, walking side by side. Soon after he heard the child scream and he ran towards the spot. When the accused saw him he ran away. Witness then took the child home. She was much frightened.

Witness was cross-examined at length by Mr. Carroll. He said they were about five minutes out of his sight.

The child was called, but was evidently too young and nervous to give evidence.

The child's mother deposed that her daughter made a complaint to her, but she was not injured.

Mr. Carroll said there was no case to justify the charge.

Justice—I think there is.

Accused, giving evidence, said he was snaring rabbits at the time. She called him a robber and he ran after her. She screamed and Wm. Hurley came along and he ran home across the fields.

Witness was cross-examined by the Superintendent.

Justice—Do you say you were walking along with this little girl before she called you a robber? I was. What do you do for a living? Snaring rabbits. Where do you live? With my father at home.

John Coughlan, father of accused, said his son was a bit stupid and simple.

Superintendent—You never sent him much to school? No.

Justice—What class was he in? Superintendent—He never went at all.

Witness—He could not learn. He was good at rabbit catching and smoking fags.

Mr. Carroll and the Superintendent having addressed the court.

The Justice said he had suspicions—very strong suspicions—but as the little girl was unfit to be sworn and give evidence, it would be going a little too far to convict. It was a line-ball case, and he didn't like to cross the line in the circumstances. If he could convict he would send accused to jail for six months' hard labour, and would have great pleasure in doing so. The highest credit was due to Wm. Hurley, who had acted so promptly on the occasion, displaying a spirit which deserved every encouragement.

The accused was bound to the peace himself in £20 and two sureties of £10 each.

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Defendant said he had come over a very bad stretch of road, and had to put up speed.

In reply to the Justice, the sergeant said no persons were endangered at the time by the bus.

The Justice said that on a wide straight road, where no one is endangered, it is difficult for drivers to observe the speed limit of 12 miles an hour. He personally thought the speed limit should be abolished and cases brought on their merits in relation to danger to the public. He fined defendant 2s. 6d. He always dealt severely with fast driving that endangered life.

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COUNTY WATERFORD CIRCUIT COURT.

COUNTY OF WATERFORD.—DIVISION OF DUNGARVAN. EQUITY SIDE.—RECORD No. 471.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Circuit Judge for the County of Waterford, dated the 28th day of April, 1927, made in a Suit wherein Michael O'Brien, of Mountstuart, in the County of Waterford, Farmer, is Plaintiff, and Michael O'Brien, of Mongally, in the said County of Waterford, Farmer, is defendant, all persons claiming to be Incumbrancers of all that parcel of Land containing 56 acres 3 roods 3 perches or thereabouts, statute measure, situate in the Townland of Mongally, Parish of Aghlish, Barony of Decies Within Drum and County of Waterford, together with all Buildings thereon, and in the possession of the said Michael O'Brien, the defendant, are on or before the 26th day of March, 1928, to send by post prepared to the County Registrar of the County of Waterford, at the Office of the said County Registrar, Courthouse, Waterford, their Christian and Surnames, the full particulars of their Claims and the nature of the Securities held by them or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Every person holding any Incumbrance is to produce the same before the said County Registrar for the County of Waterford at the Courthouse, Waterford, on the 4th day of April, 1928, at 12 o'clock (noon), being the time appointed for adjudicating on Claims and of which sitting all persons interested are hereby required to take Notice.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1928. T. A. COLBERT, County Registrar for County Waterford.

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BY THE CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.

COUNTY OF WATERFORD.—DIVISION OF DUNGARVAN.

EQUITY SIDE. RECORD No. 471.

MICHAEL O'BRIEN, of Mountstuart, in the County of Waterford, Farmer, Plaintiff, AND MICHAEL O'BRIEN, of Mongally, in the County of Waterford, Farmer, Defendant.

AUCTION OF GRAZING AND TILLAGE FARM.

JAMES HAYES, Auctioneer, by Order of the Circuit Court Judge of the County of Waterford, dated the 28th day of April, 1927, has been instructed

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COUNTY COUNCIL OF WATERFORD. APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY CLERKS.

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COUNTY COUNCIL OF WATERFORD. APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY CLERKS.

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CIRCUIT COURTS OF JUSTICE.

COUNTY OF WATERFORD.—DIVISION OF DUNGARVAN.

EQUITY SIDE. RECORD No. 480.

THE NATIONAL BANK, LTD., having their Registered Office at Old Broad Street, in the City of London, Plaintiffs.

LAURENCE FOLEY, of Ballinacorney, in the County of Waterford, Farmer, Defendant. PURSUANT to Order dated the 2nd day of February, 1928, made by the Circuit Court Judge in the above matter, Offers in writing will be received by the undersigned Solicitors up to Saturday, the 14th day of April, 1928, for

All that and those parts of the parcel of Ground with the Dwelling-house thereon situate on the North Side of Blackpool Street, otherwise known as O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, held in Fee-simple, Poor Law Valuation £23. The Premises are let to James Kipley on a Weekly Tenancy at the Weekly Rent of 5s., the Tenants paying half Rates, and will be sold subject to such tenancy.

Any Offers received will be submitted to the Circuit Court Judge on the 18th day of April, 1928, for his consideration and approval.

The particulars and Conditions of Sale relating to the Premises can be inspected at the Offices of the undersigned Solicitors at any time prior to the 18th day of April, 1928, and all Offers to Purchase shall be deemed to have been made subject to such particulars and conditions.

Further particulars can be had on application to

J. F. WILLIAMS AND SON, Solicrs. (having Carriage of Sale), Dungarvan.

WEST WATERFORD HOUNDS.

MEETS FOR MARCH.

- Tuesday, 6th—Lismore Castle.
- Friday, 9th—Geesh.
- Tuesday, 13th—Headboro.
- Friday, 16th—Rockfield.
- Tuesday, 20th—Tallow.
- Friday, 23rd—Clashmore.
- Tuesday, 27th—Tourin.
- Friday, 30th—Aghlish. At 11.30 a.m.





FOURTH ANNIVERSARY. MAHER—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Bridget Maher, Kieley's Cross, Grange, who departed this life on the 3rd March 1924.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT. Mr. Arthur Faxman and daughter, of Bally, rafter House, Lismore, wish to express their heartfelt appreciation of the great kindness and sympathy shown them in their sad bereavement.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Dungarvan Show, July 19th.—Industrial Section.—Mrs. Tesher offers the following prizes—Best Pair Men's Golf Stockings—1st, 7s. 6d.; 2nd, 5s.; 3rd, 3s.

Dublin Show and Sale.—At the Royal Dublin Society's Bull Show and Sale this week Mr. Flynn, Kilmacarriga, Lismore, obtained 4th prize for a yearling, and refused £130 for him.

Foot and Mouth.—There has been no development of late as regards the Foot and Mouth disease outbreak in Wexford, and it is earnestly hoped we have heard the last of it.

Waterford Bull Show and Sale on Thursday March 29th, will be by far the biggest ever held. The entries are now completed and contain over 40 pure-bred registered dairy bulls.

Pigs.—Dungarvan prices, 70s. per cwt.

Wednesday last, 29th February was Leap Year day, when ladies have their opportunity only granted every four years to propose to the boys they have set their hearts upon.

Tempora Mutantur.—There was a time when the very name of William O'Brien was enough to create a small revolution in the land; yet his death this week in the fullness of years failed to revive the old admiration in which he was held.

They say the lion and the lizard keep court where Janus'd glori'd and drunk deep. And Bahran, that great hunter—the wild ass—stamps over his grave and he lies fast asleep.

Homecoming of Mr. and Mrs. Ion Villiers Stuart, Droghda.—Mr. Ion Villiers Stuart, Droghda, who was married in London on 15th February to Miss Elizabeth Richardson, daughter of the late Major Richardson, D.S.O., and Mrs. Richardson arrived in Droghda with his bride on Thursday 23rd ult., when both were accorded a hearty reception by the employees of the estate and the general public around.

Irish Month.—We would draw the attention of the public to the advertisement of Irish goods in the farming line that are now being offered at Repe Mee, Flynn during March.

British Legion (Ireland)—Dungarvan Branch.—A general meeting of the above will take place in the Green Room, Town Hall, on Wednesday evening, March 7th. All members and intending members are requested to attend.—J. A. Mooney Secretary.

The G. and G. Harrier Hunt Dance will be held in the Mill Buildings, Pittown, on St. Patrick's Night, March 17th. Dancing at 9 p.m. Orchestral music. All welcome. Gents, 5s.; ladies, 4s.—R. Tobin, M. Flavin, Hon. Secs.

Petal Insurance Co.—The wonderful volume of business transacted by the Petal Assurance Co. is revealed in the Company's balance sheet published elsewhere by us and shows that the progress made yearly exceeds by millions the total of the previous year, which is a tribute to the sound lines on which the whole business is conducted.

Early Seed Potatoes.—We have received a big consignment of the following varieties—British Queen, Early Rose, Epicure, Beauty of Hebron, etc.; also Champions. Each bag sealed and certified. Prices very moderate. Secure your requirements early.—Reps. M. Flynn, Dungarvan.

G.A.A. Schools Competition.—On Sunday next at Dungarvan two great contests in the above competition will take place. Mount Zion meet Lismore in hurling and St. Augustine's, Dungarvan, meet the local C.B.S. in football.

West Waterford Hunt Point-to-Point Races were held on Thursday over a grand natural course at Shanakill, Aghish. Entries were good; the arrangements in the hands of the committee with Mr. J. H. Curran as the capable hon. sec., were perfect, and the large attendance enjoyed a delightful afternoon in glorious sunshine.

DUNGARVAN CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY, LTD.

XXX SUPERPHOSPHATE.

The s.s. "Cambula" now on passage with 500 tons XXX SUPERPHOSPHATE. This fertilizer is in excellent condition and packed in sound bags. GUARANTEED ANALYSIS 35/37 per cent. WATER SOLUBLE.

Portion of this Cargo is for YOUGHAL and the Balance for DUNGARVAN. Steamer will start discharging in Youghal on Monday, March 5th, and in DUNGARVAN, WEDNESDAY 7th MARCH.

Subject to safe arrival we are offering this High-grade SUPER at an extremely low and Attractive Price at both Ports, and there will be the usual Specially Reduced Price to those who are prepared to take delivery ex-SHIP.

Book Your Orders now and secure your Season's requirements at the ex-Ship Price. PRICES ON APPLICATION. S. FITZPATRICK, MANAGER.

IRISH MONTH (MARCH).

WE HOLD IN STOCK AT PRESENT A FULL RANGE OF IRISH PRODUCED GOODS—PIERCE'S FAMOUS BICYCLES, PIERCE'S NEW AND IMPROVED CORN DRILLS HOES AND SEED SOWERS, SPRING TOOTH HARROWS, PULPERS, FIRE MACHINES, SLICERS AND CHAFF CUTTERS, HARVESTING MACHINERY OF EVERY KIND.

BEDSTRADES AND BEDDING, SPADES SHOVELS, ATHLONE GROWN POTATOES OF EVERY KIND, INCLUDING CHAMPIONS, IRISH SUPERPHOSPHATE, SPECIALS AND BONE MANURES, CHAIRS AND FURNITURE.

PAINTS AND VARNISHES, BUILDING BRICKS ETC., ETC.

WE ALWAYS PUSH IRISH MANUFACTURED GOODS AND WILL MAKE A SPECIAL EFFORT DURING THIS MONTH.

REPS. OF MCE. FLYNN DUNGARVAN.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF WATERFORD.

GRAZING TO LET.

The Finance Committee of the County Council of Waterford invite Offers for the Grazing for 11 months as from the 1st April, 1928, of the following Lands, viz.— 1.—About 10 Acres adjoining the Kilmacothomas Workhouse Buildings.

OPPOSING REQUESTS.

LETTERS TO WATERFORD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

HOUSES FOR EX-SOLDIERS.

On two circular letters, one from the Beer and Spirit Duties Relief Organisation, and the other from the Catholic Total Abstinence Federation, the former asking for a strong resolution demanding a reduction in the present duties, and the latter suggesting a resolution calling on the Government not to lower drink taxes, the directors of the Waterford Chamber of Commerce decided to take no action, leaving the members to do as they wished at the next general meeting.

FIRST QUALITY BREAD. A TRIAL WILL CONVINC YOU. ASK OUR VANS TO CALL. Absolutely Pure Confectionery. Wedding Cakes a Speciality. ALL ORDERS AT SHORTEST NOTICE. POWER'S HIGH-CLASS BAKERS AND CONFECTIONERS, 18 O'Connell Street, Dungarvan.

BURGERY, DUNGARVAN, COUNTY WATERFORD.

IMPORTANT AUCTION OF RESIDENCE AND COMPACT FARM.

HAYES AND SONS have been instructed by P. J. Moloney Esq., who is changing his residence.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT THE COURTHOUSE, DUNGARVAN, ON THURSDAY, 29th MARCH, 1928.

LOT 1.—All that part of the lands of PARK-ATLUGGERA and MONANG, in the County of Waterford, containing 15 acres 3 rods and 32 perches, statute measure, held in Fee-simple subject to an Annuity of £14 10s., payable to the Irish Land Commission.

LOT 2.—The Residence known as "THE NOOK" with Garden attached, containing 2 acres and 34 perches, held in Fee-simple, subject to an Annuity of £2 8s., payable to the Irish Land Commission.

The Lands are of the prime, and situate as they are within the Borough Boundary, have a high accommodation value, and are well watered and fenced.

The Residence comprise a Dwelling-house, Out-office, including a Modern Garage. The rooms comprise Dining-room, Drawing-room, three Bedrooms, Maid's Room, Kitchen, Pantries, and a well-equipped Bath room with hot and cold water.

The Grounds are beautifully laid out, the Garden, containing over half an acre being well stocked with Fruit Trees, etc. There is also a Tennis Court.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to E. A. RYAN, Esq., Solicitor (having Carriage of Sale) Dungarvan; or to HAYES AND SONS, M.I.A.A., Auctioneers, Dungarvan.

A GRAND WHIST DRIVE WILL BE HELD AT EGAN'S HOTEL, DUNGARVAN, ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7th, 1928.

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS.

BLACKNOCK, KILMEADEN, COUNTY WATERFORD.

AUCTION OF PRIME GRAZING LAND—201a. 2r. 17p., Statute Measure, HELD IN FEE-SIMPLE.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION ON THE LANDS, ON MONDAY, 12th MARCH, 1928, At 12 o'clock.

The Lands are well known for their prime quality, well fenced and watered by a good stream, adjoining two public roads and are situate close to Kilmeaden Creamery, and only 7 miles from City of Waterford.

There are on the Lands, Cow House, Boiler House, Stable and Cart House and Implement House.

Immediate clear possession. Auction immediately after of the Grazing of 82 Acres, Statute Measure, of the Lands adjoining above for 11 months in Divisions to suit Purchasers.

For further particulars apply to JAMES MCCOY, Solicitor, Colbeck Street, Waterford; or to JOHN D. PALMER, M.I.A.A., Auctioneer and Valuer, Catherine Street, and Parnell Street, Waterford.

A GRAND WHIST DRIVE WILL BE HELD AT 64 O'CONNELL STREET, ON SUNDAY, MARCH 4th, 1928, AT 8.15 SHARP. BIG CASH PRIZES. TICKETS ...

HEARNE'S. Have Purchased the Entire Stock Fixtures and Fittings of Messrs. Thomas Roche, 31 Parnell St., Clonmel, In Liquidation, worth £2,264 11s 7d., at a substantial discount under cost price. We will sell off this entire stock at a Big 14 Days BANKRUPT SALE NEXT FRIDAY March 2nd, and following days at 50 per cent under to-day's cost prices.

JOHN BUTLER, AUCTIONEER VALUER AND COMMISSION AGENT.

VALUER FOR PROBATE, ETC. ALL BUSINESS ENTRUSTED TO ME WILL RECEIVE PROMPT AND CAREFUL ATTENTION.

Address: St. Thomas's Terrace, Dungarvan.

MOTOR FOR HIRE. CHRYSLER SALOON.

1927 MODEL. THE LAST WORD IN COMFORT. CHARGES MODERATE.

J. BUTLER, 15 ST. THOMAS'S TERRACE.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF GRAZING AND TILLAGE LANDS FOR TERMS OF ELEVEN MONTHS.

EDMOND FLEMING has been instructed by the Administrator of the late Richard Hickey, Claddagh, Clashmore, TO SELL BY PRIVATE TREATY.

The following Lots:— LOT 1.—Ballycurran South—21a Or. 23p. LOT 2.—Claddagh—66a. Or. 13p. LOT 3.—Moonsgillery and Claddagh—19a. Or. 23p.

Some small Lots will be Let for Oat Crop Season, 1928. Some suitable Lots for Tillage and Meadowing. Note.—Private Offers accepted for all Lots. Date of Letting from March 1st, 1928, to February 1st, 1929. Full particulars from M. J. SPEARS, Solicitor, Dungarvan.

TINNISCART, AGLISH, COUNTY WATERFORD.

IMPORTANT AUCTION OF A FERTILE AND VERY COMFORTABLE RESIDENTIAL FARM HELD AT A LOW ANNUITY. ALSO THE STOCK, IMPLEMENTS, FARMING PRODUCE, ETC.

JOHN CONDON and Son have been instructed by Mrs. Hannah Fenton (who is retiring).

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION ON THE LANDS, AT THE HOUR OF ONE O'CLOCK P.M., ON TUESDAY, MARCH 6th, 1928.

The valuable interest in her Farm, which contains 64½ Acres of carefully farmed fertile land, together with Dwelling-house and Out-offices thereon, held subject to payment of an Annuity of £25 2s. 4d. to the Irish Land Commission under the Act of 1903. Poor Law Valuation—Land, £31 10s.; Buildings, £1 10s. Total £33.

Full particulars at Sale or on application to JOHN L. KEANE, Esq., Solicitor, Youghal; or to JOHN CONDON AND SON, M.I.A.A., Auctioneers and Valuers, Youghal. Established 1869.

URBAN DISTRICT OF DUNGARVAN.

ANNUAL REVISION OF RATEABLE VALUATIONS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN 1.—That the Commissioner of Valuation has, on this date, transmitted to me Lists of the several Tenements and Hereditaments in the Urban District with their respective Valuations, and has shown in these Lists the Revisions of the Valuations which have been made by him during the past year.

2.—That the said Lists will remain open for inspection at my Office and extracts therefrom may be taken between the hours of 10.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. for twenty-one days from the date hereof.

3.—That any person aggrieved in respect of such Revision may, within twenty-eight days from the date hereof, by post or otherwise, deliver to me a Notice in writing duly signed by him, the said person aggrieved, or by his known agent, setting forth the grounds of such grievance. Dated this 1st day of March, 1928. WM. O'MEARA, Town Clerk. Town Hall, Dungarvan.

WATERFORD VACANCY.

An item appears on the agenda of the Waterford City Council for tomorrow to fill the vacancy on the Co. Board of Health and Public Assistance created by reason of the nonattendance of Councillor Dawson, who ceases to be a member.

WANTED—Black Polly Bull coming 3 years. Apply M. this Office.

WANTED—Apprentice to the Plastering Work. Fee required. Apply J. Power, Sealman's Yard, Dungarvan.

WANTED—A Gent's Bicycle in good condition; state price and where to be seen. Reply No. 31 this Office.

FOR SALE—A Second-hand Trap in good condition to suit pony 183 hands. Can be seen at James Kieley's Coach Works, Dungarvan.

NOTICE—Owing to the worrying of Sheep, all the Lands in my possession are laid with poison from this date.—Wm. Christopher.

FOR SALE—Hatching Eggs, Light Sussex (Bostock-Smith's Strain); splendid winter layers, 3s. 6d. a dozen. Apply (Miss) Evelyn Walsh, Ballymean Lodge, Cappagh, Department Station.

FOR SALE—5-year-old Cob (dam Cornish); Sire Am; also Land for 11 months, in Lots, to suit purchasers. Apply to Mrs. Catherine, Ballydoon Cottage, Dungarvan.

FOR SALE—High-class Shorthorn Bull (red) 2½ years, perfectly sure. Apply J. this Office.

FOR SALE—Car, Wheels and Culin Box (new). Apply T. Barry 15 Mary street, Dungarvan.

WANTED to rent for 11 months a few acres good land or would buy. Apply C this Office.

ALL the Lands in possession of the Cappagh Estate Co. are laid with poison.—J. Keane, Managing Director.

SEED Oats for Sale—Cartier's Marvellous (White). Best Cropper; best to stand up and best feeding straw.—J. Flynn, Carrigeen.

FOR SALE—Vacant possession No. 6 Western Terrace. Apply Mrs. Dunlea, Ballycoe.

5 PIGS reared on Karwood 1½ Pinders (Twelve 1s.) turned the scale at 68 stone. Karwood Agents—W. J. Nolan, Ltd., Pharmacy, 43 Main Street, Dungarvan.

WANTED—Ford Tourer, 1926 or 1927. Give full particulars.—60 this Office.

FOR SALE—Best Eating Potatoes (Champion), 10d. per stone. Apply M. Hogan, Buttery, Dungarvan.

FOR SALE—18 Mountain Ewes in Lamb.—P. Usher, Rock, Cappagh.

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte—Sittings from Record Laying Strain, which won record at Midland Laying Test in England; weight of Eggs, 21 to 2½ ozs. each. This Strain won 1st Prize at Dungarvan Show, 1927. Also Indian Runner Ducks (1st Prize Wyandotte Dun garvan Show, 1927). Sitings, 2s. 6d. each. Apply Mrs. O'Brien, Kilrush Cottage, Dungarvan.

TO BE LET for 11 months about 20 Acres of the Lands of Gliddan, Dungarvan. Apply Mr. T. Walsh, Square, Dungarvan.

CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE 1s. 6d. per 100 (carriage paid), 2d. Varieties. Apply J. Gough, Ballyruckle, Waterford.

NOTICE—The Lands of Crossera in my possession, are poisoned and preserved from this date.—Ellen Murphy, 17/2/28.

BEDROOM and Sitting-room in new Private House, suit Lady or Gentleman; good attendance; select locality. Apply 22 this Office.

WANTED—Local Representative for leading Irish Insurance Office. Man with experience preferred. Apply by letter only to J. Connolly, 9 Quay, Waterford.

HATCHING EGGS, good utility Crosses, Rhode Cross Leghorn, Rhode Cross Bantam (Abbot's and Snowden's Strains), 3s. 6d. post free; White Runner Duck, 4s. 6d. (Wilsontaylor's); White Leghorn (Snowden Daily Mail) and R.I.B. (Abbot's), 6s. 6d.—Sheil Walsh, Cappagh.

WHITE Wyandotte Cockerel Beauty (Strong's), White Leghorns (Snowden Daily Mail) and (Baron's or McGillivuddy's); also Rhode, White Runner Drakes (Taylor and Abbot's), Aylesbury (Abbot Wood's), also Fawn-White Runner from 8s. 6d. to 15s. each.—Sheil Walsh, Cappagh.

NOTICE—The Lands of Mount Rivers, Afane, Lefana and Garrydoyne in my possession, are poisoned and preserved. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—M. T. McGrath.

BIGGS FOR SALE—Department's Station.—All White Wyandotte and Indian Runner, large Egg Strain, 2s. per sitting; Carriage and Box, 1s. 6d. extra.—Mrs. K. Troy, Ballybrass, Grange.

OWING to Lambs being killed by dogs, the Lands of Woodstock, in my possession, are laid with poison from this date. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—J. Kennedy, 23/2/28.

FOR SALE—6-year-old Cob about 14½ hands (framed to all work and quiet. Apply 15 this Office.

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For 1928.

We have just received out first consignment for the season of Early Seed Potatoes. All this consignment has been specially selected and certified by the Department of Agriculture and the Potatoes are all absolutely true to name. The following varieties are stocked—Early Puritans, Sharpes' Express, Duke of York, May Queen, Sutton's Abundance, British Queens, Great Scot. Put up in 1 cwt. Bags at special prices. No better samples can be offered.

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Big Selection of Tweeds, Serges, Saxony, Venetians and Worsted (Plain and Fancy), all at keenest prices.

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## L. DALTON, Merchant Tailor,

29 MAIN ST. (Opposite Merry's), DUNGARVAN.

## Blackwater Fish Conservators

At the monthly meeting of the above held at Tallow, Mr. E. A. Rice, solicitor, vice-chairman, presided, and the others present were—Sir John Godfrey, Capt. P. Dunne, Messrs. Wm. O'Brien, Carey Joyce, Jervase Power, H. P. Maxwell, T. McCarthy, J. Kent, H. J. Lucas, Rev. P. C. Browne, R. G. Annesley, Messrs. T. Drohan, Secretary and Inspector, and W. Buckley, Assistant Inspector, were also in attendance.

### NETS ON THE BRIDE.

In accordance with notice, Mr. McCarthy proposed that they recommend the Minister of Fisheries to immediately remove that portion of the bye-law which prohibited any net fishing on the tidal portion of the Bride between Tallow bridge and Janeville quay. He said that as a result of an inquiry held some 26 years ago the poor men of the place had been driven to seek their living on the main river, and every fish taken from there was taken from Fermanagh. He was therefore surprised to find some opposition to his motion from Fermanagh. It was only right and fair every district should support its own people. He was prepared to meet the people on the upper reaches of the Bride by foregoing fishing from February 1st to March 15th.

Mr. Lucas said if the snap nets were licensed to fish there would not be a fish out up the river for the red anglers.

Mr. McCarthy said it was a case of grasping too much and losing all. Since the bye-law was passed there was not much done.

Chairman—Since the removal of the stake weirs the fishing on the Bride was good.

Mr. Kent said that 80 per cent. of the licenses in Fermanagh were used in the Bride.

Mr. Annesley said that Mr. McCarthy was separating the Bride from the Blackwater. The Bride was one of their principal spawning rivers and benefited all. If they put those nets in a narrow river like the Bride the people above would never get a salmon.

Capt. Dunne said as regards the narrowness of the Bride, he carried a vessel up to Tallow Quay.

Mr. McCarthy said it was very deep.

Chairman—Did you ever wade in it?

Mr. McCarthy said he had seen big steamboats up at Tallow Bridge. That showed it was a very deep river.

Mr. Kent—But very narrow.

Rev. Mr. Browne said he was unbiassed on the question. Mr. McCarthy's argument was that the bye-law had deprived certain poor men of a living. What had they been doing since the bye-law had been passed?

Mr. McCarthy—Going on the main river—obeying the law of self-preservation.

Rev. Mr. Browne said the matter had been before a court and the verdict was against them. Now after the Board had taken every precaution and made every effort to put salmon into the Bride, they were asked to legalize an illegality. From what he knew of the Bride it was far too narrow to allow of any nets above Janeville Quay.

The Chairman said a large number of licenses from all the districts around were used on the Bride, and if those nets were allowed, not one of them would be renewed.

After further considerable discussion, Captain Dunne seconded the proposition.

Mr. Kent proposed, and Mr. Lucas seconded, a negative amendment.

On a poll there voted for the amendment—Messrs. Lucas, Annesley, Maxwell, Joyce, Kent, Sir J. Godfrey, Rev. Mr. Browne and the Chairman—8.

Against—Messrs. Power, McCarthy, O'Brien and Dunne—4.

The proposition was therefore defeated.

### NETTING IN FRESH WATER.

A letter was read from the Minister for Fisheries requesting to be informed whether any netting in fresh waters took place in their district.

Sir J. Godfrey said that the right existed from Glenmore to Lismore Bridge, but was not practised above Lismore.

### MALLOW HATCHERY.

In reply to a query from the Minister of Fish, the Secretary reported that the hatchery boxes, etc., at Mallow hatchery were in good order. 14,310 ozs. of eyed ova were re-measured. The losses to date amounted to 937 ozs., leaving approximately 25,950 salmon fry available for distribution. Every care was exercised to keep the hatchery in good order, and the fry appeared to be healthy. The fry would be distributed as usual in the small streams and tributaries when sufficiently strong and weather conditions permitted.

### EXTENSION OF MALLOW HATCHERY.

Rev. Mr. Browne raised the question of extending the hatchery by means of a grant from the Government.

Mr. Lucas—Does the Government give any grant at present? Secretary—Yes, £30.

Capt. Dunne suggested that they should ask for a further grant.

Rev. Mr. Browne said the question should be gone into without delay. They had all the facilities for making an extension of the hatchery.

Mr. Annesley said it was as easy to deal with four millions ova as with one million.

Ultimately, on the proposition of Rev. Mr. Browne, seconded by Capt. Dunne, it was unanimously decided to apply to the Department for a grant for the extension of the hatchery.

### DAMAGE BY CORMORANTS.

Rev. Mr. Browne called attention to the enormous damage done by cormorants in the upper rivers and streams. He thought that it was ridiculous to offer a shilling only for cormorant's destruction.

The Chairman said it was too small. It seemed to him to be the worst form of economy possible.

Rev. Mr. Browne said all the rivers were packed with fry and thronged with cormorants.

Mr. Kent said the reward for each cormorant ought to be increased to 2s. 6d.

Sir J. Godfrey—if you get 8 cormorants for £1 it is good value.

Rev. Mr. Browne said their ration was 1½ stone of fish a day.

The Chairman said that last year a large number had been shot around Fermanagh, but none that year.

Ultimately, on the proposition of Rev. Mr. Browne, it was decided unanimously to increase the reward to 2/6 owing to the enormous

### increase of cormorants in the upper rivers.

The following letter was read—"On an Antrim, Belle Ache Clith, 14/2/28. A Chara—Further to my communication of the 2nd inst. in reference to the prevention of poaching on the river Blackwater, I am to inform you that this matter has now been discussed with the Chief Superintendent, Waterford. The latter is of opinion that the parties stationed at Clashmore, Villierstown and Killenagh Stations are quite adequate to deal with the duty to be performed. He (the Chief Superintendent) states that the sub-districts referred to are very peaceful, and in view of this it would not be possible to justify an increase in strength the stations named. It may, however, be well to state that the prevention of poaching in this area will, as it has in the past, receive special attention.—Miss Le mease—E. Cullen, Leas Moim, sineir."

Mr. McCarthy said that the sergeants at Villierstown and Cappagh Station had given great help to put down poaching.

Rev. Mr. Brown said that all round the Civic Guards had been of valuable assistance during the winter.

The Secretary said that one of their best helpers was the sergeant at Kingwilliamstown, who had done great work. The same remark applied to the sergeant at Clashmore.

Rev. Mr. Brown said the Superintendent at Kanturk had taken special precautions in the preservation of the river. In fact all over the river the Civic Guards had worked well in their interest.

Mr. Annesley said it was very satisfactory to hear that the Civic Guards had helped so well in the preservation of the river. He hoped they would receive similar accounts as regards the bailiffs.

The Secretary said the reports were satisfactory.

### SECRETARY'S REPORT.

The Secretary's report stated that on the 27/1 six nets, measuring 168 yards, were seized at Coolbally, Newport and Ballinacash by Bailiffs Barry's; 6 yards on the 27th at Pilspar by Bailiffs Foley, Ellis and Crotty; on the 28th 99 yards seized at Ballinacash by Coleman; on 29th net at Clashmore by Bailiff Troy; on the 27th at midnight Sergt. Whelan and two Guards from Villierstown accompanied by Bailiffs Parker, Hurley and Kenefick seized two snap nets at Dromore Ferry. Searches were made on warrant at Cappoquin, Villierstown, nothing found. On the 4th February a net was seized by bailiffs at Ardsallagh. On the 6/2 at 2.15 a.m. (close time) Sergt. Whelan and Guards with Bailiffs Kenefick, Parker and Hurley seized two snap nets and six fish at Ballyphilip. The poachers escaped in an adjoining wood. On 6/2 two nets were seized by Barry's at Newport and Coolbally. On 9/2 after 10 p.m. an oar was taken from the bailiff's boat at Ballinacash and was discovered at Newport broken in two places. On the 12/2 (Sunday) Bailiffs Foley and Ellis came on a boat fishing in Youghal Harbour. The net measuring 125 yards was cut, the culprits escaping in the darkness. On the 13/2 the Youghal bailiffs detected two boats fishing in the harbour, the supply of salmon for the opening of the season was favourable. Good catches took place at Ardmore, fair at Youghal and in tidal waters. The opening week at Lismore was very good. Fish on the average are heavier than previous years. In the upper reaches flood water prevailed for the best part of the month and a good run of fish took place. I am pleased to record I have received every assistance from the Civic Guards, and it may be well to state that the prevention of poaching in this area will receive special attention.

Mr. Annesley—You were pretty busy (laughter).

A letter was read from the Department stating that in the case of Denis Bradley, who was convicted at Kanturk on the 9/2/27, of a breach of the Fishery Laws and fined £4, the law must take its course.

### DUNGARVAN AGRICULTURAL SHOW.

#### SYMPATHY.

At a special meeting of the Dungarvan Show Committee on Monday, Mr. J. A. Lynch, president, in the chair, and there being also present Messrs. M. Brennock P.C.; J. J. Crotty, W. Stack, P. A. Wall, T. F. Casey and John Lynch.

Mr. Brennock referred to the great loss sustained by their esteemed colleagues, Mr. P. J. McGrath (brother) and Mr. Daniel Dempsey (brother-in-law) through the death of Mr. Ed. McGrath, Square, Dungarvan. Messrs. P. J. McGrath and D. Dempsey were most zealous members of the Show Committee, who never spared themselves in working in the interests of the Show, and he was sure they all deeply regretted the bereavement they had suffered during the past week. He moved—"That we, the Dungarvan Show Committee, beg to tender to our esteemed colleagues—Messrs. P. J. McGrath and D. Dempsey, the expression of our most sincere sympathy in the great loss they have sustained by the death of Mr. Ed. McGrath Square, Dungarvan."

Mr. J. J. Crotty seconded the resolution and regretted the occasion for it had arisen. He said they all deeply sympathised with Messrs. McGrath and Dempsey in their loss.

Messrs. Walsh, Stack, Casey and the Secretary also spoke in feeling terms, and paid tributes to the worth of their colleagues now so sadly bereaved.

The Chairman then put the resolution, which was passed in silence.

### AGRICULTURAL CREDIT CORPORATION, LTD.

We understand that the preliminary arrangements for bringing the Agricultural Credit Corporation, Ltd. into operation are proceeding rapidly, and that it is hoped that the Prospectus will be ready for issue at an early date.

The Corporation will not be in a position to consider applications for loans for some little time, and farmers who intend to avail themselves of the facilities to be provided under the Corporation should realise that applications cannot be dealt with until further progress has been made with the organisation of the Company.

The Corporation, it is expected, will in due course notify the public through the Press, when their organisation is sufficiently advanced to enable them to deal with these matters.

The Registered Offices of the Corporation are at No. 2 Merrion Square, Dublin, and all communications for them should be addressed there.

## Youghal Urban Council.

Present—Messrs. T. Harrington moved to the chair; P. Kenneally, J. Forrest, T. Beausang, T. Curran, J. Troy, M. D. Broderick, A. J. Forke, J. Kennedy, W. J. Broderick, M. J. Fleming, P. J. O'Gorman, P.C. Dr. D. J. Murphy, M.O.H., and Mr. Wm. R. Hodnett, solicitor, were also in attendance.

### SCARLATINA AND HOUSING.

Dr. Murphy said he was glad to inform the council that the scarlatina epidemic was coming to an end, and that out of some 100 cases there had not been a single death from the disease. That was due to the great care and attention which the patients had received from the good nuns in charge and the other nurses, and also to the medical officer of the Cottage Hospital, Dr. T. Kennedy. Were it not for the Cottage Hospital he didn't know what they could have done. Mr. W. J. Broderick had done the best day's work possible for Youghal by getting that hospital open for them (hear, hear). He would also like to mention the help given by Mr. J. Troy, sanitary sub-officer, and Mr. P. Magner, Home Assistance Officer. The point he wished to bring particularly before them, was the great practical need for improvement in the housing of the poor. Every day during the past three months he was brought into contact with the matter, and, as a result, the impression left indelibly on his mind was that something ought to be done, and done at once, to house the local working classes. In many houses he had found roofs leaking, walls damp and wet, floors earthen and uneven, with potential pools, sleeping accommodation very congested, sanitary accommodation nil. That was no creditable state of things in any town. He didn't know exactly what were their powers. He had some idea of their financial condition, but it was up to them to make some effort to remedy that condition of things. If an epidemic like the last occurred during the summer season it would be a serious matter for the town, and it would be difficult to eliminate the danger as long as the housing accommodation for the poor remained as at present. The Military Barracks were at present vacant. Suitable accommodation for 30 or 40 families could be had there and the people would be glad to avail of them. He had spoken to some of the people about leaving their present wretched dwellings but they asked him: "Where are you going to put us?" Even if the higher authorities would not do their part, the council ought to get the responsibility of their own shoulders by doing something more practical than merely passing resolutions. Holding the position he did, he deemed it his duty to put the matter before them.

Mr. M. Broderick said the council were anxious and willing to do their part, but as long as the Government insisted on a type of house that poor people could not pay for, their hands were tied. Some simple scheme should be adopted. What poor man could afford to pay 10s. or 12s. weekly for a house those times? If they could provide a house to let at 4s. or 5s. weekly they would be on the right road to remedy the present state.

Chairman—What about the barracks?

Mr. Broderick said it was a good idea, but it would not be adequate to fully relieve the congestion.

The Chairman said he had heard that the barracks could be got cheaply.

Dr. Murphy asked would not the Board of Works lend long loans at 2½ per cent.?

Mr. Kenneally said not presently. Something might come out of the Commission on Unemployment and perhaps they had better await the result.

Dr. Murphy said that was rather hypothetical. Something practical should be done in the meantime.

The Town Clerk said the barracks used to accommodate 300 or 400 men, and it could be turned into self-contained flats at a small expense. He suggested that they should communicate with the Board of Works on the matter. The barrack was a white elephant on their hands at present, and would rapidly deteriorate if not seen to.

Dr. Murphy said if they could get 30 or 40 of the worst situated families removed they would be fairly well off.

Mr. O'Gorman said they had a precedent as regards the barracks in Dublin. The Town Clerk's suggestion was an admirable one.

It was finally decided to communicate with the Board of Works regarding the barracks.

### STEAMROLLING AND GAS MAINS.

Mr. Hodnett waited on the council regarding the question of responsibility for damage done to the gas mains, etc., during the repair and steamrolling of the roads.

Having put the law of the matter before the meeting as laid down in a letter received some time ago, a very long discussion ensued.

Some were of the opinion that the roller used, weighing 14 tons, was altogether too heavy for the street, and that a 6-ton one would do the work.

Finally the Gas Manager was directed to test all connections, repair leaking ones, and notify the contractor and the County Council of any damage done by the roller.

### YOUGHAL TO DUNGARVAN.

The following letter was read—"G. S. Railways, Dublin, 20/2/28. Dear Sir—With reference to your letter of the 16th inst. addressed to the Secretary, no arrangements have yet been made for the inauguration of a road service by the Company between Youghal and Dungarvan, but the suggestion made by your Council is not being lost sight of.—Yours truly—M. F. Keogh."

### SUPERANNUATION.

The L.G. Department wrote stating they were bound by the statutory provisions relating to superannuation allowances. In order to justify an expression of consent the case of Mr. Mich. Daly must be shown to come within the council's jurisdiction to grant the proposed allowance.

Mr. W. J. Broderick said that was not a definite reply.

The Clerk was directed to write again calling attention to existing precedents.

## WALLPAPERS.

We have just received a very large consignment of the very newest and most up-to-date designs of Wallpapers for the coming Spring. Owing to our very heavy contracts, we are in a position to reduce all designs to a considerable extent, and we will be only too pleased to show you our immense stock of patterns.

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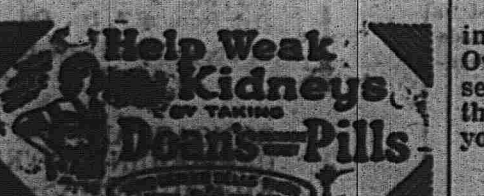
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COUNTY COMMITTEE OF AGRICULTURE.

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Ballycarrane N.S.—On Tuesday, 6th March, at 3.30 p.m.

Ballinacree N.S.—On Wednesday, 7th March, at 3.30 p.m.

Dunhill N.S.—On Thursday, 8th March at 3.30 p.m.

The Committee hope that these Lectures will be followed by a discussion on the subject dealt with and that questions will be freely asked of the Lecturer.

J. O'DWYER, Secretary.

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WATERFORD COUNTY BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

CAPOQUIN WATER SUPPLY.

NOTICE TO CONSUMERS.

THE Waterford County Board of Public Health hereby give Notice that at their Meeting held on the 11th inst. it was unanimously resolved—"That One Shilling in the Pound on the net annual value of the Premises of Private Consumers be assessed as a Water Rate on such Private Consumers of the Water Supply in the town of Cappoquin.

This Rate will be collected in two Moieties, the first Moiety being payable on the 1st April and the Second Moiety on the 1st October each year.

A proportionate Rate for the period ending the 31st March next is now payable, and a Demand Note for same will be duly forwarded to each Consumer when payment should be made to the Collector, Mrs. Marie O'Donnell, Fermville, Lismore.

By Order, MICEAL O'FLOINN, Runaidhe.

Secretary's Office, County Home, Dungarvan, 16th February, 1928.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

THE Waterford County Board of Public Health will, at their Meeting to be held on Saturday, the 10th March, 1928, consider Tenders for Repairs to the following Cottages in KilmacThomas Rural District, in accordance with Specifications, Copies of which may be obtained on application at my Office.

Table with 4 columns: No., Name of Tenant, Townland, Electoral Division. Lists tenants like Matthew Mason, Kate Torpey, Patrick Barron, etc.

Tenders, containing the Names of Two Solvent Sureties, who are willing to join the person Tendering in a Bond for the due performance of the Contract, must be lodged with me not later than 12 o'clock (noon) on the 10th March, 1928.

By Order, MICEAL O'FLOINN, Runaidhe. Oifig an Runaidhe, Arus a' Conntae, 1 nDungarban, 22ad Feabra, 1928.

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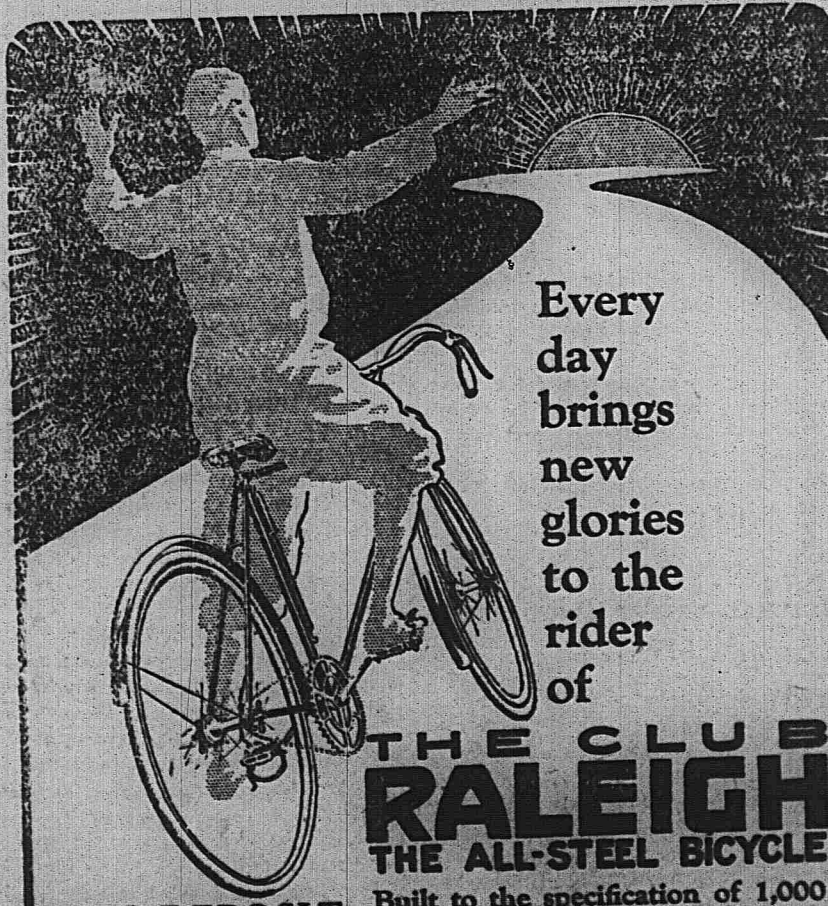
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

THE Waterford County Board of Public Health will, at their Meeting to be held on Saturday, the 10th March, 1928, consider Tenders for the Erection of Water Closets and Latrines at Tramore, in accordance with Plans and Specification, which may be seen at the Office of Mr. C. H. Jepson, Engineer, Court-house, Waterford, where Forms of Tender can also be obtained.

Tenders, containing the Names of Two Solvent Sureties, who are willing to join the person Tendering in a Bond for the due performance of the Contract, must be lodged with me at my Office, County Home, Dungarvan, not later than 12 o'clock, noon, on the 10th March, 1928.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted. By Order, MICEAL O'FLOINN, Runaidhe. Oifig an Runaidhe, Arus a' Conntae, 1 nDungarban, 22ad Feabra, 1928.

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Terms—Gentlemen's Mares, £5; Thoroughbred Mares, £9; Farmers' Half-bred Mares, £4; Nominated Farmers' Half-bred Mares, at Fees fixed by County Committee and £2, Groom's Fee £s., to be paid at 1st visit.

Season ends 19th July. All Fees due 1st September. No responsibility for accident or disease. Keep of foaling Mares, £1 a week; other Mares, 10s.

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DUNGARVAN COUNTY HOME AND DISTRICT HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.

DISTRICT HOSPITAL COMMITTEE. TENDERS REQUIRED.

The above Committee will, at their meeting to be held at the Court-house, Dungarvan, on SATURDAY, 10th MARCH, 1928, consider Tenders for supplying the County Home and District Hospital at Dungarvan with the under-mentioned:-

For Three Months Ending 30th June, 1928. 1.—Irish-bred Beef in Rounds, exclusive of Legs and Lap, at per lb. To be delivered at or before 3 p.m.

2.—Irish-bred Beef in Shoulders, exclusive of Neck and Large Bones, at per lb. To be delivered at or before 3 p.m.

3.—Irish-bred Mutton in Quarters, exclusive of Neck, at per lb. To be delivered at or before 3 p.m.

4.—Irish Bacon (in Sides) at per lb. To be delivered at or before 3 p.m.

5.—Coal, 40 Tons Best Red Ash House Coal (Newport). To be delivered as required.

6.—Creamery Butter at per lb., about 90lbs. per week.

For Six Months Ending 30th September, 1928. 7.—Best White Bread made from Irish-milled Flour (in 8oz. loaves), at per 4lbs. To be delivered at or before 9.30 a.m.

For Twelve Months Ending 31st March, 1929. 8.—Cleaning of Chimneys in the County Home and District Hospital.

9.—Winding and Repairing of Clocks.

10.—Supply of Coffins (Large, Middle and Small), covered and mounted.

11.—Pure New Milk, about 55 gallons per day. To be delivered at 9.30 and 5.30 daily.

The Committee will be prepared to accept one Tender for the entire supply of Milk or to divide the supply between two or more Contractors as they may deem advisable. If a person Tendering is unable to supply the entire quantity of Milk required, he should state in his Tender the number of gallons which he undertakes to supply daily.

The Milk supplied must contain over 3 per cent. of fat and the Storekeeper, in order to satisfy himself in this respect, will forward samples from time to time for analysis. The average number of gallons of Milk required daily is about 60, but this does not limit the future supply that may be required. The Contractor, or Contractors, for Milk are hereby required to agree to the following further conditions, viz.—That in the event of the supply being at any time short, or being rejected on account of its not being up to the standard, that the Storekeeper provide such substitute as the Medical Officer may approve at the Contractor's expense.

Tenders, on a prescribed Form, containing the names of Two Solvent Sureties who are willing to join the person Tendering in a Bond for the due performance of the Contract, must be lodged with me not later than 12 o'clock (noon), on 10th March, 1928. The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

Signed, EDMOND KIELY, Clerk to Committee. Clerk's Office, County Home, Dungarvan, 22nd February, 1928.

COISDE UM SLAINTE POBUL CONNTAE PORTLAIRGE.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

THE Waterford County Board of Public Health will, at their Meeting to be held on Saturday, the 10th March, 1928, consider Tenders for the making of a Piped Sewer at KilmacThomas in accordance with Specification, copy of which may be obtained on application. Tenders, containing the Names of Two Solvent Sureties, who are willing to join the person Tendering in a Bond for the due performance of the Contract, must be lodged with me at my Office, County Home, Dungarvan, not later than 12 o'clock, noon, on the 10th March, 1928.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted. By Order, MICEAL O'FLOINN, Runaidhe. Oifig an Runaidhe, Arus a' Conntae, 1 nDungarban, 22ad Feabra, 1928.

GRAZING LETTING.

LANDS OF CARRIGCASTLE, COUNTY WATERFORD.

Tenders, in writing, are invited for the Grazing of Cattle (other than horses) on the Lands of Carrigcastle, containing 64 Acres 3 Roods or thereabouts, Statute Measure, situate in the Electoral Division of Carrigcastle, in the Co. of Waterford (the property of the late Edmund Power) for the 11 months commencing the 27th day of March, 1928.

Tenders must be received by the undermentioned not later than the 3rd day of March, 1928.

For Forms of Tender Map and further particulars and Conditions apply to HENRY D. KEANE, Solicitor for the Owners, 21 O'Connell Street, Waterford.

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NOTICE.

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The Premium Bull DRUMSNATT DANDY (dark red) is available for service to Members and others. His dam, Orphan Princess, gave nearly 2,000 gallons with high butter-fat. B. G. USSEER, Cappagh.

SYMPATHY.

A special meeting of the Lismore Golf Club was held in the Blackwater Vale Hotel on Tuesday, February 14th, at which a sincere vote of sympathy was unanimously passed to Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Guest and family in their recent sad bereavement.

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